HONGKONG, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 19, 1880.

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Shipping.

Steamers.

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## Banks.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

PAID-UP CAPITAL,.....5,000,000 Dollars. RESERVE FUND,......1,500,000 Dollars.

COURT OF DIRECTORS. Chairman-The Hon. W. Krswick, Deputy Chairman-A. Molven, Esq. E.R. BELILIOS, Esq. | WILHELD REINERS, H. L. DALBYMPLE, Esc. F. D. Sassoon, Esq. H. Hoppius, Esq. | W. S. Young, Esq.

CHIEF MANAGER. Hongkong,.....THOMAS JACKSON, Esq. MANAGER.

Shanghai,......Ewen Cameron, Esq. LONDON BANKERS.—London and County

> HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED.

N Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balance. For Fixed Deposits: For 8 months, 3 per cent. per annum.

4 per cent. 5 per cent. " LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Credits granted on approved Securities,

and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan. T. JACKSON.

Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East. Hongkong, February 14, 1880.

COMPTOIR D'ESCOMPTE DE PARIS.

(Incorporated 7th & 18th March, 1848.) DECOGNISED by the International

CONVENTION OF 30TH APRIL, 1862. 

RESERVE FUND...... £800,000. HEAD OFFICE-14, RUE BERGERE, PARIS.

AGENOIES and BRANCHES at: LONDON. BOURBON.

SAN FRANCISCO. MARSEILLES, BOWBAY, Honokong, CALCUTTA, LYONS. HANKOW, NAUTER. SHANGHAI, FOODIOW.

LONDON BANKERS: THE BANK OF ENGLAND. THE UNION BANK OF LONDON.

The Hongkong Agency receives Fixed Deposits on Terms to be ascertained on application, grants Drafts and Oredits on all parts of the World, and transacts every description of Banking Exchange Business. E. G. VOUILLEMONT, Manager, Shanghai. Hongkong, May 20, 1879.

ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION. (Incorporated by Royal Charter.)

PAID-UP CAPITAL .....£1,500,000. TATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DE-POSITS. At 3 months' notice 3% per annum. . . .

Current Accounts kept on Tems which may be learnt on application. GEO. O. BOOTT,

Acting Manager.

Oriental Bank Corporation, Hongkong, September 4, 1879,

CHARTERED MERCANTILE BANK OF INDIA, LONDON & CHINA.

(Incorporated by Royal Charler.).

allowed on Fixed Directins:— For 12 months, 5 per cent, per mnum. 4 per cent. ,, ,, 6

2 per cent. ,, ,, H. H. NELSON, Manager.

Hongkong, May 31, 1879.

Banks.

TRALIA, AND CHINA.

RESERVE FUND,....£150,000. Bankers. THE BANK OF ENGLAND.

THE CITY BANK. THE NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.

THE BANK'S BRANCH In Hongkong grants Drafts on London and the Chief Commercial places in Europe and the East; buys and receives for collection Bills of Exchange, and conducts all kinds of Banking and Exchange Business.

RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED ON DE-

On CURRENT ACCOUNTS, 2 per cont. per ON FIXED DEPOSITS. For 3 months, 3 per cont. per annum.

., 4 per cent. , 12 , 5 per cent. TATIONAL BANK OF INDIA,

LIMITED. Registered in London under the Companies' Act of 1862, on 23rd March, 1866.

Established in Calcutta 29th September, 1863. Subscribed Capital.....£933,000. PAID-UP CAPITAL .....£465,250. RESERVE FUND...... £20,000.

HEAD OFFICE: -39A, THREADNEEDLE STREET, LONDON, E.C.

LONDON BANKERS:-NATIONAL PROVINCIAL BANK OF INGLAND. NATIONAL BANK OF SCOTLAND.

All descriptions of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Corrent Accounts at the rate of 2 per cent. per annum on the daily balances; and on FIXED DEPOSITS rate being 5 per cent. per annum. R. H. SANDEMAN.

Manager, Hongkong, November 1, 1879.

## Notices of Firms.

NOTICE.

THEE Business CONDUCTED by me in BOMBAY, both independently of, and connection with, the Firms of Messrs E. D. Sassoon & Co. of China, will from this Date, be Carried on under the Style or Firm of E. D. SASSOON & Co. E. D. SASSOON.

TITTH Reference to the above, We have VV This Day Admitted Mr JACOB Drafts, granted on London, and the ELIAS SASSOON and Mr SASSOON

E. D. SASSOON & Co. Bombay, 1st January, 1880.

NOTICE.

MR. W. DETMERS has been authorized to Sign our Firm per Procuration. RÄDECKER & Co.

Hongkong, January 81, 1880. NOTICE.

TAR. N. C. STEVENS is hereby autho-IVI rized to Sign our Name by Procura-

tion at Amov, the Power held by Mr ELWELL CEASING from this Date. RUSSELL & Co.

China, February 9, 1880. my11

NOTICE.

MHE INTEREST and RESPONSIBILITY of A Mr LEONHARD STAEL in our

Firm CEASED on the Stat December last. Mr F. C. DITTMER is authorized to Sign our Firm per Procuration. HESSE & Co.

Hongkong, January 1, 1880.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned have been appointed AGENTS to the New YORK BOARD AGENTS to the OF UNDERWEITERS. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

TO ECORD OF AMERICAN AND FOREIGN SHIPPING.

Agents. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

Hongkong, Sept. 3, 1879. For Sale.

MHE FOLK-LORE OF CHINA; and its Affinities with THAT OF THE ARYAN AND SEMITIC RACES. By N. B. DENNYS, Ph.D., F.R.G.S. PRICE, HALF BOUND, \$2.00. KELLY & WALSH, Hongkong.

Hongkong, February 12, 1880. mal2 FOR SALE FTOWNS AND CITIES OF CHINA

A DICTIONARY OF REFERENCE. By G. M. H. PLAYFAIR. PRICE, \$6 Per COPY BOUND. Apply to Messra Noronha & Co. ,, LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

MCEWEN, FRICKEL & Co. Hongkong, February 16, 1880.

FOR SALE. THE following Rates of Inferest are FIRE FURNISHINGS, FIXTURES, STOCK-IN-TRADE and GOOD-WILL of

the well-known and prosperous Business at present Carried on by Mr Andhew WOHLTERS at THE BRITISH HOTEL

Full Particulars will be given on Application. Hongkong, January 23, 1880.

For Sale.

# LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.

PEG to announce that they have added to their Business A PIANO TUNING and REPAIRING DEPARTMENT, under the Superintendence of Mr Douglas: Dale, who has been sent to them by Messrs. John Broadwood & Sons of London; they are now prepared to receive Orders which shall be carefully and efficiently attended to.

THE FOLLOWING ARE FOR SALE, EX RECENT ARRIVALS.

DRAN SHELL HATS for the RACES. New Shapes in CHRISTY'S HATS. Latest NOVELTIES in SCARFS. SHIRTS with COLLARS attached. Cardigan JACKETS. French KID GLOVES, 2 Buttons. Single and Double SOLE BOOTS. GAN'S French SHOES.

Waterproof COATS. Automaton UMBRELLAS. Turkish TOWELS. Bath BLANKETS. Now Meerschaum PIPES. Cope's Golden Cloud TOB \CCO. Persian Cigarette TOBACCO. BIRDS' EYE and Gold Leaf TOBACCO Waterproof SHEETING for Racing Jefferies Tennis BATS, BALLS and

Playing CARDS. Whist MARKERS. Electro-plated TELESCOPES. Malteso CIGARETTES. Carriage LAMPS. Billiard BALLS. QUOITS. VALISES. Iron and Brass BEDSTEADS. The New Wire Spring MATTRESSES. Coir DOOR MATS. Spirit FLASKS. Household SCALES.

Royal Irish Constabulary REVOLVERS.

FOSTER'S Colebrated Bottled ALE and STOUT. SACCONE'S SHERRIES. Hongkong, February 2, 1880.

Merino and Cashmere SOCKS, and UNDERSHIRTS.

**BOOKS.** 

Mrs Brassey's STORM AND CLOUD IN THE EAST. LEGGE'S SACRED BOOKS OF THE EAST. TENNYSON'S SONGS, set to Music by various Composers MACKENZIE'S HISTORY OF 19TH CENTURY.

CARDENTER'S PHYSIOLOGY, New Edition. Capt. BARRY'S FIFTY YEARS COLONIAL EXPERIENCES. MARRHAM'S ARCTIC EXPLORATIONS. SELECTIONS from the WORKS of Dr NEWMAN.

THE GERMAN ARCTIC EXPEDITION. AYRTON'S CHILD LIFE IN JAPAN. HOFFMAN'S (Prof.) DRAWING ROOM AMUSEMENTS.

ARMATAGE'S HORSE DOCTOR. according to arrangement—the maximum | STANLEY'S THROUGH THE DARK CONTINENT—Cheap Edition. BURGH'S MARINE ENGINEERING. THE MECHANICIAN, a Treatise on Tools and Tool Making. SPALDING'S ELIZABETHAN DEMONOLOGY.

WATERTON'S WANDERINGS IN SOUTH AMERICA. Ruskin's WORKS. TALES FROM BLACKWOOD, Complete in 12 uniform Vols., cloth gilt. EASTLAKE'S HINTS ON HOUSEHOLD TASTE. HUNTER'S ENCYCLOPÆDIC DICTIONARY, Part I.

NEW BIRTHDAY ALBUMS-"THE WEDDING," "THE CARLYLE," "THE RED LETTER," &c. CALDECOTT'S NEW TOY BOOK. Bon Gaultier's BALLADS - New Edition.

### NEW MUSIC.

BOOSEY'S SONGS OF ENGLAND, SONGS OF SCOTLAND, SONGS OF IRE. LAND, &c., Cloth or Paper.
CHOPIN'S WALTZES, OPERATIC GEMS, SACRED SONGS, NEW DANCÉ MUSIC, NEW SONGS.

ALSO, JUST RECEIVED. JACOB DAVID as Partners in our Firms A Selection of Walnut Wood WRITING DESKS, Lined with Velvet & Leather. Tourists' WRITING CASES, fitted. STATIONERY CASES .- INKSTANDS. New Designs in ILLUMINATED ALBUMS,

MATHEMATICAL INSTRUMENTS, in Boxes. ENVELOPE CASES and BLOTTERS. PURSES. CIGAR & CIGARETTE CASES. POCKET KNIVES. WINSOR & NEWTON'S COLOURS. BALLE MASQUE STATIONERY-The ACADEMY NOTE PAPER. The AGONIC VISITING CARDS.

8,000 NEW TAUCHNITZ VOLUMES, KELLY WALSH.

Hougkong, February 18, 1880.

Auctions.

PUBLIC AUCTION. FURNITURE SALE

HE Undersigned has received instructions from Mr HANCOCK, to sell by Public Auction, at his Residence, THE "CASTLE,"

MONDAY, the 23rd Instant, at NOON,— The whole of his

HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, (English and Chinese), PICTURES.

PLATED, GLASS and CROCKERYWARE. A Uttage Grand ITANO, by Broadwood & Sons; Billiard Table, by Thurs-

ton & Co.; a Pony Phæton, and Silver-Mounted Double Harness, ác., ď٥. FLOWERS AND PLANTS. Catalogues will be issued, and the

whole to be on view on and after Satur. day, the 21st Instant. Terms of Sale,—As customary. J. M. ARMSTRONG,

Auctioneer. Hongkong, Feb. 14, 1880.

PRELIMINARY ANNOUNCEMENT.

TO BE SOLD as a going Concern, by FUBLIC AUCTION, on a DAY to be hereafter fixed in the Month of A April next, (unless previously disposed of by Private Contract, and subject to withdrawal by the Vendors for any other reason of which due Notice will be given). THE JUSINESS OF ENGINEERS AND SHIPWRIGHTS, lately Carried on by Messra J. Incuts & Co., known as the VICTORIA FOUNDRY, and situate at Spring Gardens, Victoria, Together with all the FLANT, MACHINERY, TRADE FIXTURES and FITTINGS, STHAM LAUNCHES, and STOCK-IN-TRADE, and including the Good-will, and all Existing

Contracts and Engagements. For further Particulars, apply to SHARP, TOLLER & JOHNSON, \_\_\_Solicitors for the Mortgagees. Supreme Court House,

17th February, 1880.

To Let.

TTO BE LET, on Lease for Building, a PIECE of GROUND, containing about lv,000 square Feet, at Sparag Garden, on Inland Lot No. 199, commanding a good view of the harbour.

Apply to BRERETON & WOTTON. Solicitors, 29, Quesa's Road. Hongkong, February 4, 1880.

TO LET.

TAOREIGN HOUSES, containing Six ROOMS and OUT-HOUSES; Also, CHINESE SHOPS and HOUSES in the HOLLYWOOD ROAD.

Apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co. Hongkong, January 26, 1880. FOR STORAGE.

TN GODOWNS, PRAYA CENTRAL, from in the 1st February next. Apply to RUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, January 21, 1880. TO LET. THOUR-STORIED HOUSES in Holly-

wood Road. A HOUSE in Lyndhurst Terrace. Apply to

E. R. BELILIOS. Hongkong, December 27, 1879. TO LET.

FIRST-CLASS STONE FLOORED GO. DOWN, Situated upon MARINE Lor Alab, -the Two HOUSES, Nos. 14 and 3, Stanley Street, lately in the occupation

of the TEMPERANCE HALL. Apply to DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, February 7, 1880.

TO LET. N MARINE LOT No. 65, FIRST-OLASS GRANITE GODOWNS. Apply to MEYER & Co. Hongkong, July 25, 1879.

WASHING BOOKS. (In English and Clinese.) WASHERMAN'S BOOKS, for the use of Ladies and Gentlemen, are now ready at this Office. - Price, \$1 each. CHINA MAIL Office.

Intimations.

1848.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONGKONG.

ORIGINAL JURISDICTION. SUIT No. 8,

Plaintiff-HARRY WICKING, of Victoris, in the Colony of Hongkong, Clerk in the Business of Messrs LANE, CRAWFORD & Co. Defendant-WILLIAM RUSSELL HODG

FOREIGN ATTACHMENT.

KINS, late a Clerk in the employ of Messra Augustine HEARD & Co., in the Colony of Hongkong. TOTICE is hereby given, that a Writ of FOREIGN ATTACHMENT returnable on FRIDAY AND SATURDAY. the 20th day of February, 1880, against All the Property moveable or immoveable of the above-named Defendant within the

Colony, has been issued in this Suit pur sugnt to the Provisions of Section LXXXII of "The Hongkong Code of Civil Procedure." STEPHENS & HOLMES, Solicitors for the Plaintiff,

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

2, Club Chambers, Hongkong.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. THE Eleventh Ordinary MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be Held at the Company's Office, 39 QUEEN'S ROAD, Victoria, at Half-past Two o'Clock in the Afternoon of FRIDAY, the 20th February instant, for the purpose of receiving a Statement of Accounts and the Report of the Directors for the year ending 31st December, 1879.

The Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 7th to the 20th Instant, both days inclusive. By Order.

JAS. B. COUGHTRIE,

Secretary. Hongkong, February 4, 1880.

THE COSMOPOLITAN DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED. REGISTERED UNDER THE COMPARIES' ORDINANCE 1865.

AND THE COMPANIES' ORDINANCE 1877. TELEGRAMS for COOMIN-UNINA are sent CAPITAL \$500,000. DIVIDED INTO 5,000 SHARES OF \$100 EACH (FULLY PAID UP).

Messra RUSSELL & Co. Directors. WILLIAM HOWELL FORBES, Esq. J. A. DOS REMED OS, Esq. KWOK ACREONG, Esq.

General Agents.

Bankers. THE CHARTERED BANK OF INDIA,

C. VINCENT SMITH, Esq.

AUSTRALIA, AND OHINA. Solicitors. Messrs BRERETON and WOTTON

of the COSMOPOLITAN DOCK, their Dock and the Ground and Premises belonging thereto, with the Plant, Machinery, and Stock-in-Trade of the parties aforesaid, and the Business and Goodwill thereof, and of carrying on the Business of Shipwrights and Engineers in the Colony of Hongkong. For this purpose an absolute Assignment dated the 31st day of January, 1880, has been entered into by Messrs WILLIAM HOWELL FORMES, FRANK BLACKWELL FOR-BES, SAMUEL WYLLYS POMEROY, Junior, JOHN MURRAY FORBES, Junior, FREDERICK DELANO HITCH, HENRY DE COURCY FORBES, and CHARLES VINCENT SMITH, Merchants, trading as Russell & Co., as Trustess of February current to 5th March next, both WILLIAM BOLTON SPRATT, ANDREW JOHN. days inclusive. STON, and NELSON SPRATT, the owners of the said Cosmopolitan Dock, with Messra KWOK ACHEONG, WILLIAM HOWELL FORBES, CHARLES VINCENT SMITS, and Jose An-TONIO DOS REMEDIOS, Directors of the said Company, for the purchase of all the premises mentioned, without further confirmation, for the price or sum of \$500,000 subject to the condition that if the Stockin-Trade consisting of Wood and Iron be not valued by a competent valuator at a sum not less than \$100,000, the said sum of \$500,000 shall abate accordingly.

The Cosmopolitan Dock is of sufficient dimensions to dock the largest Vessels affoat; it and the Plant and Machinery belonging therete are now in perfect order. The Business of Building, Docking, Making, and Repairing Vessels is in full operation, so that the Company can at once enter upon active business, which it is expected

will be bighly remunerative. The Business of the Company will be conducted by Mesers Russell & Co., as General Agents, assisted by a Board of Directors. About Four Thousand Shares have been already taken up, and it is intended that the Capital will be called up as follows :-\$75 per share on allotment. \$25 per share on the 1st day of May,

All unpaid Capital after that date shall bear interest at 12 per cent. per annum. Application for Shares, which shall be in the annexed form, will be received by the Agents, up to the 15th day of April, 1880.

THE COSMOPOLITAN DOCK COM-PANY, LIMITED. To Mesers Russell & Co., General Agents.

GENTLEMEN.

hereby request that you will allot Shares in the above Company, and agree to accept such Shares, or any lets number you may allot to agree to pay the first Call of \$75 per share on allotment, and the second Call of \$25 per share on the 1st day of May, 1880, and to subscribe the Articles of Association when required to do so.

> Gentlemen. Your obedient Servant.

N.B .- Blank Form of Application for Shares may be had at the Office of the General Agents.

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Intimations.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

THE Annual MEETING of SHARE-HOLDERS is unavoidably POST-PONED till SATURDAY, February 21st, at 3 p.m.

D. GILLIES, Hongkong, February 16, 1880.

By Order of the Board of Directors.

HONGKONG HORTIOULTURAL -800 **) Y TYTHY O O B**-THOWER SHOW AND ART EXHIBITION, at the CITY HALL, on

The Band of the 27th Inniskillings will play during the Afternoon, and the Band of the U. S. S. Richmond in the Evening. -Admission, \$1.

the 20th and 21st February.

Tickets may be had of Messrs Lane, CRAWFORD & Co. C. S. TAYLOR, Hon. Sec., H.K. H. S. Hougkong, Feb: uary 16, 1880.

\_\_ NOTIOE. THE HONGKONG GENERAL CHAM-BER OF COMMERCE.

THE Annual General MEETING of MEMBERS of the Hongkong General Chamber of Commerce will be Held at the CITY HALL, on MONDAY, the 23rd February, at 3.30 p.m. By Order,

E. GEORGE, Secretary. Hongkong, February 16, 1880.

THE EASTERN EXTENSION AUS-TRALASIA & CHINA TELEGRAPH COMPANY, LIMITED.

MHE Lines to PENANG, INDIA, EUROPE,

AMERICA and AUSTRALASIA, are: now

kept Open Night and Day. SINGAPORE, and Stations in Java and SUMATRA, are Open between 8 a.m. and 6 p.m., on Week-days and Sundays.

on Week-days, at 8.40 a.m., 10.10 a.m., 12.40 p.m., 3.40 p.m. and 540 p.m. On Sundays, at 7.40 a.m., 9.10 a.m., 2.40 p.m. and 5.10 p.m. Hongkong Offices, Marine House,

J. ENSTON SQUIER, Superintendent. February 17, 1880.

Queen's Road Central.—Always Open.

CHINA SUGAR REFINING COM-PANY. LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Ordinary Annual MEETING of the SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be Held at the Office of the General Agents, on FRIDAY, the 5th day This Company has been formed for the of March next, at 3 o'Clock p.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the purpose of acquiring from the Proprietors General Agents, together with a Statement of Accounts to 31st December, 1879.

> JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, February 14, 1880.

CHINA SUGAR REFINING COM-

PANY, LIMITED. NOTICE; THE Transfer BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 20th

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Agents.

ORIENTAL HOTEL. TWO NEW BOWLING ALLEYS HAVE BEEN LAID. ACCOMMODATION FOR BOARDERS AND FAMILIES.

Hongkong, February 14, 1880. ma5

J. F. SHUSTER, Proprietor. Hongkong, January 23, 1880.

OF THE BEST QUALITY.

Shipping. Steamers.

FOR YOKOHAMA AND HIOGO, The Steamship shortly due will have quick despatch for the above Ports,

For Freight, apply to

despatch for the above Porte,

Hongkong, February 14, 1880.

FOR HOLHOW AND PARHOL. The Steamship "Hainan,"
Captain Conner, shorily
lue, will have immediate

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

For Freight or Passage, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, February 12, 1880. OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY. FOR LONDON VIA SUEZ CANAL.

Captain S. H. Burten,
will be despatched on The Co.'s Steamship or about the 3rd Proximo. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, February 18, 1680,

BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE,

Agente.

MARITIMES. PAQUEBOT POSTE FRANCAIS. The Co.'s Steamship Commandant ROLLAND,

Hougkong, February 19, 1880.

- CALCUTTA. The Steamship
"Moray,"
M. J. Butcher. Commander, will be despatch-The Steamship

ed as above on SATURDAY Next, the 21st lnst., at 3 o'clock p.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, February 14, 1880.

The Steamship the above Ports on SATURDAY, the 21st Inst., at 8 o'clock p.m.

Agents. Hongkong, February 14, 1880.

Captain Young, will be lespatched for the above

FOR LONDON. The Steamship Capt. Quartly, will be despatched as above on or about the 22nd Instant.

Sailing Vessels. FOR TAKAO AND TAIWANFOO.

The A I German Schooner

"Auguste Reimers,"

(ESTMANN, Master, shortly due,
will load here for the above Ports, and will have immediate despatch. For Freight, apply to

FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American Bark "Haydn Brown," here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co.

FOR LONDON. The A 1 British Ship The Al British Ship
Duke of Abercorn,"
BINNIE, Master, will load here
for the above Port, and will
have quick despatch.

FOR BAN FRANCISCO. The A 1 American Ship DAY, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have WINES AND SPIRITS quick despatch.

> FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 Ameriaan Bark
>
> "Mabel,"
>
> HALLETT, Master, will load here
> for the above Port, and will The A 1 Ameriaan Bark

have quick despatch.

FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American Bark The A 1 American Bark
"Alice Reed,"

KILLERAN, Master, will ladd
here for the above Port, and

Hongkong, January 2, 1880. FOR NEW YORK. The A 1 American Ship

For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co. Hongkong, January 2, 1880.

FOR LONDON. The A 1 British Ship CLAGUE, Master, will load here for the above Port, and will have quick despatch.

llongkong, December 1, 1879.

For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co.

NOTICE. COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

will be despatched for for ... IIANG IAL TO-MORROW, the 20th. Inst., at Daylight.

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

Capt. A. B. MacTavish, will be despatched for

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. The Steamship

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, February 17, 1880.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.

The A 1 German Schooner

Hongkong, February 11, 1880.

VOCEL & Co. Hongkong, February 17, 1880.

Hongkong, February 7, 1880.

For Freight, apply to

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, January 31, 1880.

For Freight, apply to

For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, January 81, 1880.

will have quick despatch. For Freight, apply to VOGEL & Co.

The A 1 American Ship

"A. Rebinson."

SMITH, Mester, will load here
for the above Fort, and will have quick despatch.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DAVID SASSOON, SONS & Co.,

Ports on SUNDAY, the 22nd Instant, at For Freight or Passage, apply to

HAVENER, Master, will load

VOGEL & Co. Hongkong, February 2, 1880.

ed habitat.

For Sale.

MacEWEN, FRICKEL & Co.,

HAVE JUST LANDED FROM THE AMERICAN MAIL WHE following STORES, \_ A Excellent Condition :-Fresh Roll BUTTER.

Finest Comb HONEY, in Frame. Do. J. Do., Fresh APPLES.

Dried Slived Ditto. Boneless CODFISH. Georges Bank Do. Finest Eastern Factory CREAM CHEESE. Mild California Smoked SALMON.

Family Mess BEEF, in 25 lbs. kegs. Oregon Pickled OX TONGUES, very fine. Family PORK, in 25 lbs. kegs. American HAMS.

Do. BACON. CORNMEAL, HOMINY, CRACKED WHEAT. OATMEAL, RYE FLOUR, BUOK-WHEAT FLOUR, CORN BROOMS, CORN WISPS.

Table FRUITS, Bartlet PEARS, APRI-COTS, PEACHES. Stuffed PEPPERS, ASPARAGUS. APPLE SAUCE, CRANBERRY SAUCE. OYSTERS, LOBSTERS, SALMON, CLAMS. PEA NUTS, PECAN NUTS, BRAZU

CREAM of TARTAR, SALERATUS. Merrits' Eastern CIDER. WINSLOW'S Colebrated GREEN CORN. LIMA BEANS, SUCCATASH, SUGAR

CALIFORNIA CRACKER Co.'s GINGER CAKES. MILK BISCUITS. ALPHABET BISCUITS. OYSTER BISCUITS. WAFER BISCUITS. SODA BISCUITS.

Ex S.S. "GLENFINLAS," and Late , Arrivals.

SMYRNA FIGS. Muscatel BLOOM RAISINS. JORDAN ALMONDS. Cooking and Table PRUNES. Pudding RAISINS and CURRANTS. Candied PEEL MINCEMEAT in 1-lb. tins. VAN HOUTEN'S COCOA.

CARRAWAY SEEDS. SCHWEITZER'S COCOATINA. HAM TONGUE & CHICKEN SAUSAGE WESTPHALIAN, BOLOGNA, OXFORD, and TRUFFLED SAUSAGES. GAME PIES.

Potted MEATS. Prime Yorkshire HAMS. Prime Wiltshire BACON in Tins & Canvas. OX-TONGUES in JELLY. TRUFFLES,

Champagne, &c.

Heidsleck & Co.'s MONOPOLE, Pints and Quarts. ADOLPHE COLLIN'S BOUZY CABINET. MUMM'S (JULES) CHAMPAGNE, Pints and Quarts.

NEYEN'S (BODEN) BOUZY, Pts. and Qts. CHARLES HEIDSIECK'S WHITE SEAL. Pints and Quarts. VEUVE CLIQUOT PONSARDIN, Pints and Quarts.

THEOPHILE ROEDERER & Co.'s VERZENAY MOUSSEUX, Pints and Quarts. KRUG'S CHAMPAGNE, Pints and Quarts. PERRIER JOUET in Quark.

Claret.

THIBŒUF (CHATEAU), Pints and Quarts. CHATEAU LAROSE (CURCIER & ADET'S), Pints and Quarts. CHATEAU LAFITE, Pints and Quarts. IRES GRAVES, Pints and Quarts. BREAKFAST CLARET. Pints & Quarts. OLD INVALID CLARET. St. JULIEN, &c., &c.

Burgundy, Hock, Sherries, &c. Chambertin, Chablis (white), Liebfraumilch, Hockheimer, Niersteiner, Steinberger Cabinet, Rudesheimer Berg, Konlnin Victoria Berg. Chateau Youem, Grand Vin. Haut Sauterne, Marsala Saccone's Pale Dry White Seal Sherry, Yellow Seal Amontilado Sherry, Catler Palmer and Company's

Brandy, Whisky, Liqueurs, &c. -1, 2 and 3 star Hennessy's Brandy, La Grande Marque Brandy, Cutler Palmer & Co.'s Brandy, Rouyer Guillet & Co.'s Brandy, 1 to 4 stars : Finest Old Bourbon Whisky, bighly recom-

Sherry, Invalid Port (1848), Hunt's Port.

mended, Kinahan's LL 1dsh Whisky, Jamieson's Irish Whisky, Royal Glendee Whinky; AVH Gin. Swaine Boord & Co.'s Old Tom Gin; La Grande Chartreuse, Green and Yellow, Maraschine de Zara, Curação, Pts. & Qts.; Ango-

stura, Boker's and Grange Bitters, &c., &c., &c. BASS' ALE, bottled by CAMEBON & SAUN-

DERS, Pints and Quarts. GUINNESS'S STOUT, bottled by E. & J. BURKE, Pints and Quarts. PILSENER BEER, In Quarts. DRAUGHT ALE and PORTER, by the SHELTZ MILWAUKEE BEER

BUDNESTER BEER. BOOA BEER. ALBION ALE. BLATZ MILWAUKER BEER. ALE and PORTER, in Bulk, (Blds, and Kilderkins),

Ships' STORES of every description. Hemp and Cotton CANVAS Russian, Manila, and Wire ROPE. SAIL-MAKING and RIGGING promptly

executed. Specially Selected CIGARS. Princessa CHEROOTS. Cavite CHEROOTS. Princessa CIGARS.

Cavite CIGARS. Aroceros OIGARS. Vegueros CIGARS. Choice No. 1 Fortin CIGARS in Boxes of 100. Choice No. 3 Meisig CHEROOTS.

Choice No. 8 Fortin CIGARS. NEW SEASON'S PRESENT TEA, in 5 and

10 Catty Bexes. Hongkong, January 12, 1880.

#### For Sale.

FOR SALE. ULES MUMM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE, Quarts.....\$16 per 1 doz. Cass, Pints......\$17 per 2 doz.

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, February 2, 1880.

FOR SALE. THEOPHILE ROEDERER & Co./e CHAMPAGNE, awarded the

DRY VERZENAY MOUSSEUX: Quarts............\$17 per Case of 1 dež. MEYER & Co., Agents. Hongkong, August 21, 1879.

GOLD MEDAL AT THE PARIS EXHIBITION.

NOW READY. PRICE, \$1.50.

"COMPARATIVE CHINESE FAMILY LAW.

BY E. H. PARKER. Can be obtained from KELLY & WALSH at Shanghai and Hongkong, at LANE, CHAWFORD & Co., Hongkong, and at the China Mail Office.

Hongkong, December 6, 1879.

Mails.



MITSU BISHI MALL STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

STEAN TO YOKOHAMA VIA KOBE.

THE S. S. SUMIDA MARU, Captain HUBENET, due here on or about the 16th Instant, will be despatched as above on SATURDAY, the 21st Feb., at Day-

Cargo received on board and Parcels at the Office up to 6 p.m. of 20th February. No Bill of Lading signed under \$2 All Claims must be settled on board before delivery is taken, otherwise they

will not be recognized.

RATES OF PASSAGE. To Koss......Cabin \$60. Steerage \$15. " Уоконама & } Do. \$75. Do. NAGABAKI... A REDUCTION IS MADE ON RETURN CARIN

Pabsaces. CARGO and PASSENGERS for Nagasaki will be transhipped to the Shanghai Mail Steamer at Kobé. For further Particulars, apply at the Company's Offices, No. 50A, Queen's ROAD CENTRAL.

Hongkong, February 9, 1880.



STEAM FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG, POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, MALTA, BRINDISI, ANCONA, VENICE, MEDI-TERRANEAN PORTS, SOUTH-AMPTON, AND LONDON,

VIA BOMBAY; BOMBAY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA, AND

AUSTRALIA.

TTHE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam-ship NIZAM, Captain A. E. BARLOW, will leave this on WEDNESDAY, the 25th Instant, at 11 p.m.

Ten and General Cargo for London will be conveyed vid Bombay, and there transhipped, arriving one week later than by direct route. Silk and Valuables will be transferred to the Calcutta steamer at Galle.

For further Particulars, apply to A. MoIVER, Superintendent. Hongkong, February 13, 1880.

Insurances.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY. TITHE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates. MELCHERS & Co.,

Agents, Royal Insurance Company. Hongkong, October 27, 1874. MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE

COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON. ESTABLISHED 1824.

Capital of the Company £1,000,000 Sterling of which is paid up £ 100,000 Reserve Fundupwards of £ 120,000 £ 250,000

FITHE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for the above Company at Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai, and Hankow, and are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, October 15, 1868.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Incorporated by Reyal Charter and Special Acts of Parliament.

ESTABLISHED 1809, CAPITAL £2,000,000.

FITHE Undersigned, AGENTS at Hongkong for the above Company, are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Morchandise in the same, at the usual Rates, subject to a discount of 20 per cent.

GILMAN & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, July 6, 1875.

#### Intimations. Notices to Consignees.

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE DIVIDEND declared for the Half-Year ending 3let December last, at the Rate of (£1) ONE POUND' STERLING per Share of \$125, is PAYABLE on and after MONDAY, the 16th Current, at the Offices of the Corporation, where Shareholders are requested to apply for Warrants. By Order of the Court of Directors,

T. JACKSON, Chief Manager. Hongkong, February 14, 1880.

THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

THE Eleventh Ordinary-Annual MEET. I ING of SHAREHOLDERS in the above Company will be Held at the Orrice of the Company, No. 7, Queen's Road, at Three o'Clock in the Afternoon of MUN-DAY, the 23rd February instant, to receive a Statement of Accounts to the 31st Decomber, 1879, the Report of the General Managers, and to elect a Consulting Committee and Auditors.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,

General Managers, " Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, Hongkong, February 6, 1880.

THE HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

NOTICE.

THE Transfer BOOKS of this Company will be CLOSED from the 10th to the 23rd of February instant, both days

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers, Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, Limited.

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

Hongkong, February 6, 1880.

TATR. F. KLAMPERMEYER has RE-IVI MOVED to his New PREMISES, No. 63, PRAYA CENTRAL, close to the The Patronage of the Community is most

respectfully solicited. F. KLAMPERMEYER. Hougkong, January 24, 1880.

DENTAL NOTICE.

R. ROGERS has returned and is now ready to RECEIVE PATIENTS.-No. 7, ARBUTHNOT ROAD. Hongkong, December 8, 1879.

HONGKONG WHARF & GODOWNS. OODS RECEIVED on STORAGE at

Moderate Rates, in FIRST-CLASS GODOWNS, under European supervision; and VESSELS Discharged alongside the Wharf, on favorable Terms, with quick despatch. Also entire Godowns to be let. MEYER & Co.

Hongkong, February 2, 1880.

COSMOPOLITAN DOCKS.

B. SPRATT & Co. have lately VV added an Extensive MACHINE SHOP and other Appliances to the former Advantages of these Docks. The DIMENSIONS of the DOCK are:-460 Feet, on the Blocks; 92 Feet Wide; Or dinary Tides, 21 Ft.; Spring Tides, 244 Ft. Office, 20, PRAYA CENTRAL, HONGKONG. Hongkong, October 4, 1879.

SAILORS' HOME.

NY Cast-off CLOTHING, BOOKS, or A PAPERS will be thankfully received at the Sailor's Rome, West Point. Hongkong, July 25, 1878.

Notices to Consignees.

FROM LONDON & PORTS OF CALL THE S. S. Castello having arrived, Consignees of Cargo by her are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned, whence and/or from the Wharf or Boats delivery may be obtained. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 23rd Instant will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

Hongkong, February 16, 1880.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIÉS MARITIMES.

8. B. AV A. NOTICE.

MONSIGNEES of Cargo per S. S. Euphrate, from London, in connection with the above Steamer, are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and stored at their risk at the Com pany's Godowns, whence delivery may be obtained immediately after landing. Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless intimation is received from the Consignees, before 2 p.m. To-DAY, requesting it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by

the Underslaned. Goods remaining unclaimed after Wab-RESDAY, the 25th Instant, at Noon, will be subject to rent and landing charges. No Fire Insurance has been effected. G. DI CHAMPEAUX,

Agent. 1e25 cepted in transit through Marseilles for Hongkong, February 18, 1880.

BRITISH BARK "LUCIA" FROM LONDON. MONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above Vessel are hereby requested to send

in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take. immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the Vessel will be landed and stored at Consignees' risk and expense. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

Hongkong, February 7, 1880.

FOR MANILA VIA AMOY.

Captain Blanco, will be despatched for the above

forts on SAT; RDAY, the 21st Instant, at

Hongkong, February 19, 1880, fe21

TONGKONG HORTICULTURAL

It is believed that Members' Tickets

have been forwarded to all Subscribers,

but if any have gone astray they will be

replaced on application to the Honorary

Schedules are at the English and German

Clubs, at Messrs Lone, Crawford & Co.'s,

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

Feb. 19, Emmy, Spanish steamer, 222, F.

Blanco, Manila Fob. 16. General .-

Feb. 19, Tientsin, British steamer, 682, Deville, Chinkiang Feb. 15, Rice.—Bur-

Feb. 19, Killarney, British steamer, 1016,

Henry O'Neill, Nagasaki Feb. 14, Coal .-

Feb. 19, H.M.S. Iron Duke, from a

DEPARTURES.

19, Minnie Carvill, for Saigon.

19 Hailoung, for Amoy, &c.

19, Fuyew, for Shanghai.

19, Volga, for Yokohama.

19, Bonito, for Whampon.

Paladin, for Nagasaki.

steerage, and 33 Chinese,

Fine weather throughout.

MAILS will close:-

Europe, for Swatow.

19, Albion, for Singapore, &c.

CLEARED.

PASSENGERS,

ABRIVED.

DEPARTED.

Per Normanby, for Melbourne, &c, Rev.

Ed. Youngman, Mr R. Johns, 4 Europeans

Par Castello, for Shangbal, Mr Thomson.

Per Fuyew, for shanghai, 35 Chinese.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

POST OFFICE NOTICES.

The Spanish steamer Emuy reports:

Per Emuy, from Manila, 14 Chinese.

19, Normanby, for Melbourne, &c.

Remedios & Co.

TERFIELD & SWIRE.

GIBB. LIVINGSTON & Co.

Feb. 19, Brunctte, for Manila.

19, Castello, for Shanghal.

19, Ping-on, for Canton.
19, Tientsin, for Canton.

C. S. TAYLOR,

Hon, Sec., H.K. H. S.

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and may also be obtained from

Hougkong, February 19, 1880.

SOCIETY.

For Freight or Passage, apply to

The Spanish Steamer

REMEDIOS & Co.

OCCIDENTAL & ORIENTAL S. S. COMPANY.

ONSIGNEES of Cargo by Steamship U BELGIC, from San Francisco, &c. are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and to take immediate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding discharge of the Steamer will be landed and stored at Consiguees

risk and expense. G. B. EMORY,

Hongkong, February 16, 1880.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. S. S. "SUMIDA MARU," FROM KOBE AND YOKOHAMA.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above Vessel are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature, and take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after Tuesday, the 17th Instant, will be landed and stored at

Consignees' expense and risk.

-No Fire Insurance will be effected. MITSU BISHI MAIL S. S. Co., 50A, Queen's Road Central. Hongkong, February 16, 1880.

> MARITIMES. NOTICE TO CONSIGNERS.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

ONSIGNEES of the following Cargo are requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for counteraguature, and take immediate delivery. This Care o has been landed and stored at sholz rlak and expense. No Fire Insurance has been offected.

Ex Yangtsé. M G No. 904,925, Mr A d'Argence, 2 cases Tobacco, from Marseilles. G. DE CHAMPEAUX,

Hongkong, February 12, 1880.

Not Responsible for Debts.

A 7 sither the Captain, the Agents, nor Owners will be Responsible for any Debt contracted by the Officers or Crew of the tollowing Vessels, during their stay in Hongkong Harbour!-

PRINCE FREDERICK, British ship, Capt. John Claque.—Vogel & Co. MABEL, American barque, Capt. Francis Hallett,-Captaio, ALICE REED, American barque, Captain Killeran. -- Vogel & Co.

MINNIE CARVILL, British barque, Capt. P. T. Clark.—Gibb, Livingston & Co. CHATEAUBRIAND, French barque, Captain Leroy. - Carlowitz & Co.

Dinigo, American barque, Captain H.

Staples.—Adamson, Bell & Co. To-day's Advertisements.

CENTRAL.

RAILROAD COMPANIES

ATLANTIC STRAMERS.

FIHE 8. S. BELGIC will be despatch

on SATURDAY, 28th February, 1880, .

l p.m., taking Cargo and Passengers 'o

and South America, and Europe.

Steamers from Shangbal.

of same is required.

toms, San Francisco.

Japan, the United Stater, Mexico, Central

Connection is made at Yokohama, with

p.m. of the 27th February. PARCEL

until 5 p.m. same day; all Parcel Packages

should be marked to address in full; value

A REDUCTION is made on RETURN PAS-

Consular Invoices to accompany Over-

land, Mexican, Central and South American

Cargo, should be sent to the Company's

Offices addressed to the Collector of Cus-

For further information as to Freight

G. B. EMORY, April.

or Passage, apply to the Agency of the

NOTICE.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES

MARITIMES.

STEAM FOR

SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA.

POINT DE CALLE,

ADEN, SUEZ, ISMAILIA, PORT

SAID, NAPLES, AND

MARSEILLES

AL80,

PONDICHERRY, MADRAS, CALCUTTA

above places.

AND ALL INDIAN PORTS.

Cargo and Specie will be registered for

Shipping Orders will be granted until

Cargo will be received on board until

4 p.m., Specie and Parcels until 3 p.m. on

the 2nd March, 1880. (Parcels are not

to be sent on board; they must be left

Contents and value of Packages are re-

For further particulars, apply at the

Hongkong, February 19, 1880.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX

Agent.

London as well as for Marseilles, and ac-

the principal places of Europe.

at the Agency's Office.)

Company's Office.

PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

Company, No. 37, Queen's Road Central.

Hongkong, February 19, 1880.

ed for San Francisco via Yokohama

For SHANGHAL .-Iccidental & Oriental Steam-Per Hochung, at 11.30 a.m. To-morrow, the 20th inst., instead of as pre-Ship Company. viously notified. TAKING THROUGH CARGO AND for MANILA.— Per barque Parnass, at noon To-morrow,

PASSENGERS FOR THE UNITED the 20th inst. STATES AND EUROPE, for Swatow, amoy & Shanghal.— ERE HEIM MOIRDEMNOD MI Per Swatow, at 4.30-p.m.-To-morrow, the 20th inst.

For SAIGON .-UNION PACIFIC AND COMMECTING Per Penedo, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the For JAPAN via KOBE.

Per Sumida Maru, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the 20th inst. (Contract Rates.)

For NAGASAKI,-Per Paladin, at 5 p.m., on Friday, the For AMOY AND MANILA .-

Per Emuy, at 11 80 a.m., on Saturday, the 21st inst. For STRAITS AND CALCUTTA .-Froight will be received on Board until Per Arratoon Apear and Moray, at 2.80 p.m., on Saturday, the 21st inst. PAUKAGES will be received at the Office

For SWATOW, AMOY, & FOODBOW. Per Douglas, at 5 p.m., on Saturday, the For BANGKOK .--

Per Dale, at 5 p.m., on Monday, the

23rd inst.

MAILS BY THE BRITISH PACKET.— British Contract Packet Nizam will be despatched on WEDNESDAY. the 25th Instant, with Mails to and through the United Kingdom and Europe vid Brindisi; to the Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, Ceylon, India, Aden, Egypt, Malta, and Gib. raltar. This is the best opportunity

for forwardin Correspondence to Manritlus, E. Africa, the Cape, St. Helena, and Ascension. N.B.—This Packet carries no mails for the Australian Colonies.

MAIL BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET. The United States Mail Packet Beigic, will de despatched on SATUKDAY, the 28th inst., with Mails for Japan, San as Only Mate, and 4 as Second Mate. Francisco, the United States, Canada, Honolulu, Peru, &c. which will be closed as follows :-

0.30 P.M. Post-Office closes, but Letters (except for Non-Union Countries) may ON WEDNESDAY, the 3rd March. 1880, at Noon, the Company's S. S. be posted on board the Packet with Late Fee of 10 cents extra Postage YANGTSE, Commandant CHAMPENOIS with MAILS, PASSENGERS, SPECIE until the time of departure. and CARGO, will leave this Port for the Correspondence for Non-Union West Indies

0.15 P.M. Registry ceases.

(except the Bahamas and Hayti), Monte Video, Paraguay, and Uruguay cannot be sent by this route. Hongkong, Feb. 19, 1880.

The French Contract Packet Pangle will he despatched on WEDNESDAY the 3rd March, with Mails to and through the United Kingdom and Europe, vid Naples; to Saigon, Straits Settlements, Batavia, Burmah, O.ylon, the Australasian Colonies, Pondichery, Madras, Calcutts, Aden, Egypt, Malta and Gibraltar.

MAILS BY THE FEBROR PACKET.

The usual hours will be observed in closing the Mails, do.

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW. To-day's Advertisements. Shipping. Daylight. - Ava leaves for Shanghal.

Meeting. 2.30 p.m.—Meeting of Shareholders of The China Fire Insurance Co., Limited, at No. 39, Queen's Road.

Miscellaneous. Flower Show.

Transfer Books of the China Eugar Refining Co., Limited, closed from this date to 5th March, inclusive.

General Memoranda.

SATURDAY, February 21 :--Daylight.-Mitsu Bishi Mail leaves for Yokohama via Kobé. Noon.—Emuy leaves for Manila. 3 p.m. - Moray and Arratoon Apcarleave for Singapore, do.

Hongkong and Whampon Dock Co. Limited, at Club Chambers. SUNDAY, February 22 :---Daylight .- Douglas leaves for Coast

3 p.m.-Meeting of Shareholders of the

Monday, February 23 :--Noon.—Auction of Household Furniture at Mr Hancock's residence, the Castle.

3 p.m.—Meeting of Shareholders of The

Hougkong Fire Insurance Co., Limited, at No. 7, Queen's Road. 3.30 p.m. - Meeting of General Chamber of Commerce Rooms at the City Hall. Goods per Castello undelivered after this

date subject to rent. WEDNESDAY, February 25 :-Goods per Avs undelivered after Noon, subject to vent and landing charges. 11 p.m - English Mail leaves for Ports of Call and Europe.

SATURDAY, February 28 :-1 p.m. -- Occidental & Oriental S. S. Co.'s Steamer leaves for Yokohama and San Francisco.

WEDNESDAY, March 3:-Noon.—French Mail leaves for Ports of Call and Europe. FRIDAY, March 5 !-

3 p.m.-Meeting of Shareholders of the China Sugar Refining Co, Limited, at Mesars J., Matheson & Co.'s office.

Retablished A.D. 1841. 大 樂历

HONGKONG DISPENSARY

A. S. WATSON & Co., FAMILY & DISPENSING CHEMISTS WHOLESALE AND RETAIL DRUGGISTS. **IMPORTERS** 

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Sode Water, Lemonade, Tonic Water Gingerade, Potass Water, Sarsaparilla Water, and other Aerated Waters. The Manufactory is under direct and

continuous European Supervision.

Hongkong, June 1, 1876. Passengers arriving in Hongkong, or any other persons who may desire to consult the files of local, China, Japan, American, English, Indian or Australian newspapers, are invited to call at sixty newspapers, dailies and weeklies, filed for reference.

Hongkong, Jan. 1, 1880. The publication of this issue commence

at 8.05 p.m.

The China Mail.

HONGKONG, THURSDAY, FEB. 19, 1880.

LOCAL AND GENERAL The next Exerise Man. may be expected t arrive here on or about Friday next, the 20th inst., by the P. & O. steamer Low bardy. London dates to the 16th ult. are brought on by this opportunity.

that the departure of the O. & O. ateamer Belgic has been fixed for Saturday week, the 28th inst., at one p.m. WE are requested by the Sheriff to mention that Jurors summoned on this Crimins

Sessions will have to be in attendance at

Ir will be seen from our advertising columns

the Supreme Court to-morrow (Friday) at THE new Table of Rates of Postage published in the Gazette, but as the rates do not come into force until after the departure of next mail, we hold over any

A LIST of Masters and Mates who have passed their examinations before the Marine Board of Examiners (Ord. 17 of 1860) during the past year, appears in the Gaze te. There were 44 passes, 21 of which were for | had been lost with all hands on her outward the position of Master, 14 as First Mate, 5

detailed notice of them until that time.

A SELECTION of decuments, taken from the Report of the C. D. O. Commission, appears in the Gozette. The papers bear upon the question of how kiduapped girls are brought into this Colony from the mainland for immoral purposes. A large number of these poor unfortunate women say that they willingly enter upon this life, and it is exceedingly difficult to bring home guilt to the brothel-keepers.

In our Police Intelligence of the 14t instant we reported, under the heading of "A clever capture," the arrest of a coolie named Lo Atto, an old effender, who was then charged with being in possession of burglarious implements. We have now to propagate his suggestions as to the establishrecord his equally clever escape from the settlement of international adifficulties, Police Court this afternoon. He again without resorting to war or the shedding of appeared before the Magistrate to-day (19th) on the same charge, with an additional one rimilar peace sentiments.

of larceny appended to it, and was simply called up to be further remanded. Eight or ten prisoners were in the dock about 4 or look and were all remanded, the Magistrate rising immediately afterwards. Some confusion scems to have arisen on the removal of so many prisoners, at the same time that a fairly-crowded Court Room was being cleared, and the wily scoundred took the opportunity to give his custodians the slip, and he has not yet intimated to the authorities his whereabouts, or next intend-

REGARDING the Horticultural Exhibition, an impression seems to be abroad that because members' tickets carried with them additional tickets of admission in previous exhibitions held at the Public Gardens, subscribers to the Fund ought also this year to receive extra lickets. We feel sure that subscribers have only to be reminded of the largely increased expenses attending this year's Flower Show, in its connection with the novelty of an Art Exhibition, to free the Committee from any reproach of niggardliness; while at the same time it must be borne in mind that the Committee are most auxious to meet the views of that large body of contributors who have so liberally, and with no small inconvenience, placed so much that is valuable at the Committee's disposal. We have authority for saying that any contributors desiring tickets of admission can obtain them on application to the Honorary Secretary. It must also be remembered that one of the principal objects of this year's exhibition is to increase the funds of the City Hall. We famoy the Art Exhibition may prove the great attraction this year. Mr Coughtrie has worked with a will, and as he had excellent material to go upon, the appearance of the rooms is such as to excite the astonishment and compel the admiration of visitors. It is expected also that the flowers and plants will be vory effective when they are all placed in the space set apart for that

merchants, lawyers, legislators and above all judges, for it cannot be denied that, with every ordinance tinkered and patched mary of the specific recommendations conhave referred to, in the hope it may keep

ments, subjects desit with by the transfer of Property Bill. Trusts, Allavion, Easements, Master and Servant, should be codified—the bills already prepared on these subjects being paraid into law, subject to the amendments suggested by the Conmission's report; that the Law of Wrongs should then be codified; that concurrently

A note by Sir Charles Turner, Chief Justice of Madras, is appended to the report against a proposal to give special jurisdiction in case of domestic and agricul-

The same rumour was prevalent here

Universal Peace Society, at Philadelphia, is, according to recent advices from home. exciting considerable comment there, and meeting with favorable criticism from friends of the peace movement. His sentle ments are characterized as worthy of emulation by the chief European statemen and soldiers, and the Peace Societies of Kurope will be invited to present him their congratulations in in some public manners They will also be requested to zealously ment of a Court of Arbitration, for the b'ood. Despatches from Rome state that the Pope has issued a manifesto expressing

WE have before mentioned more than once that a Law Commission has been sitting in Calcutta to enquire and report on the subject of codification, and have remarked that the result of their labours might be of special interest to public men here, alike without end and beyond recognition, the Hongkong Book of Ordinauces presents a fair field for work of this kind. We now make room for the following sumtained in the report of the Commission we the matter before the public mind. The findings of the Commission are briefly

That the process of codifying well-marked the "CHINA MAIL" Office, where over divisions of our substantive law should continue: that the eventual combination of from these countries, are from to-day | those divisions as parts of a single and general code ahould be borne in mind; that the English law should be made the basis in a great measure of our future codes, but that its materials should be re-cast rather than adopted without modification; that in re-casting those materials, due regard should be paid to native habits and modes of thought: the form which those materials should assume should, as far as possible, resemble the form of the rules already accepted, in other words, propositions of our codes should be broad, simple, and readily intelligible; that uniformity of legislation should be simed at, but special and local customs should be treated considerately; that the existing law of persons. should not at present be expanded by way of codification, save that he operation of the European and Bratish Minors Act 13 of 1874 should be extended; that the laws relating to negotiable instru-

with or after the framing of the Law of Wrong, the laws relating to insurance. carriers and lien should be codified; that the Legislature should then deal with the Law of Property in its whole extent, that preparation be made for a systematic chapter on interpretati m; that the project of framing a digest of the decisions of the Indian Courts should be abandoned.

tural servants and mechanics. WE read in a Home paper to hand by this

mail := "fill sales. An unfounded rumour, was published on the 3rd inst. that the Buphrates, troopship. passage to ludia during the recent gales. The vessel sailed on the 24th ult., with drafts for India, consisting of over 1,000 men. A telegram from Malta states that the vessel arrived there safely on the lat inst. and has since passed though the Suez Canal in continuation of her voyage to Bombay.

about the same time. We cannot but be glad that there was no foundation for it. THE speech made by General Grant to the

The American flagship Ticonderoga, Commodore Shufeldt, whose arrival is approunced in Penang, is on a voyage round the world for the collection of information on sundry matters for the Government. She has made her way to these latitudes, having sailed from New York in January last year down the West Coast of Africa to the Cape, and thence vid Madagascar, Zunibar and Aden to the Persian Gulf and Indian waters. She is a large frigate of 2,200 tons, with nine guns, three of which are rifled, and with a crew of 260 men,

triumph at Kabul in receiving about 250 nobility. Whilst beholding this sight, tons of powder, from the Bala Hissar. were very deeply impressed with it. The question arises, says an Allahabad seems to us that His Excellency's adminisale and expeditious transport work, while things justice and fairness, to the exclusi tion? Herenpon our contemporary suggests express. We may be sermitted, howconfidence and make him our Commissary | ward one or two points with reference General. By Commissary General we pre- to late events and thereby commemorate sume, is meant Director General of Trans. | His Excellency's abundant goodness. port. If that could have been done, and | The Chinese population of the Colony now General Kennedy taken a few lessons from numbers more than one hundred thousand Mahomed Jan, the experience would have people, and far more than one half of the considerably improved our General's pro- revenues of the Government comes from spects and given him a new sensation, to Chinese residents. Hitherto we never yet

THE American Postal authorities go further with the post card innovation than we have been able to get as yet. The latest thing is the new ine-cent postal card, well worthy of the consideration of our own authorities. It has two stamps, one at each end, and spaces for two messages. The sender, who desires information valuable to himself. instead of enclosing a three-cent in a letter requiring another three cent stamp, occuples one of the spaces, and the return correspondent the other. One stamp is cancelled at the office from which it is originally sent, and the other at the office sending it back to him.

A FRESH light is thrown on the recent telegram about Persla and England if we refer back to the Berlin telegrams in the files a week ago. This for instance, which from the Daily News Berlin correspondent dated Nov. 23rd, would seem to suggest a friendship between England and Persia :-

I have received a private letter from St. Petersburg, the writer of which is in a position to be well informed, which says :--"Intelligence has reached official circles in St. Petersburg that it is the intention of the English Government next spring to occupy Herat in alliance with Persia. I do not know what authority there is for this intelligence. I can only answer for it having been received and credited here, justice? and for the flutter of hostility it at once | caused. Until the arrival of the Emperor no steps are being taken, but it is expected that preparations will be at once set on foot to repel by force of arms such an attempt to circumscribe Russian policy in Central blow at the well-known views according to which Persia is regarded as the inheritance of Russia. It is, however, difficult to realise on what grounds, or by what means, Russia can effectually prevent the prosecution and carrying out of such a plan, if it be really purposed. To talk of sending an army of 100,000 men from the Causaus is an idle threat when we see the difficulties and disasters which have attended an expedition one-lifth of that strength, whilst the more practicable route from the north, from Samarcand and Chardjin, is so far from the base of supplies that it must require many months to organise an expedition sufficient to prevent the occupation of Herat. The maintenance of lines of communication would be almost impossible. Nevertheless, if the intelligence as to the concerted action of England and Persia be confirmed, there will no doubt be such a manifestation of hostility as cannot but endanger the relations between the two countries. w

HEDGE & Co.'s Pagoda Anchorage, Ship. ping Report, for 7th and 14th Feb. :---Arrivals During the fortnight,-Jan. 31,

Appin, from Shanghai; 4, Namoa, from building for a Chinese Chamber of Com-Hongkong; 9, Hae An, from Shanghai; merce, wherein also a complete exhibition of 10, Douglas, from Hougkong; 12, Hedvig, all English and Chinese articles of com-

for Shanghai; 9, Kwang Tung, for Hong- chants would derive equal benefit. But it. Gazette the Criminal Returns of 1879, 1878, kong; 5, Apple, for Shanghai; 6, Namoa, will also be requisite at the outset to pro- and 1877, from which you will ass what for Hongkong; 7, A. Newton, for Shang. vide a large fund, as even a sum of forty has been done by the Covernment to carry Shipping in Port. Morge, Has An, Douglas, Hedvig.

ADDRESS OF THANKS TO THE GO.

VERNOR FROM THE CHINESE COMMUNITY. .

INTERESTING PROCEEDINGS AT GOVERNMENT HOUSE, THIS APPRENOON.

A deputation of Chinese waited on H. E. the Governor this aftern on and presented him, "in name of the Chinese Community," is all due to His Excellency the Governor, many years, in connection with what are hereby returned to them. with an address, of which we append a to whom this Address is most respectfully called the Brothel Laws of this Colony, copy. There were about 25 gentleman present, and among these were the following i-Mr Fung Tang, Wong Chen Young, Tang King Sing, Chin U T'in, Fung Ming Shan, Chok Wal Yok, Fung In Long, Da Wong To and others. In accordance with Translated by Obliness custom, they brought two cards containing their personal names, but from these it would be impossible for the general reader to know who they were. We are extremely glad to have the pleasure of promised a list of the names and with receiving you to day. I know that you them the hongs they represent; from such represent the Chinese community in this a list the representative nature of the Colony. I see here to-day friends of fluential cr otherwise those are who are see men here who are engaged in send. Mr Mercer, recorded the fact that a important one. virtually the signatories of the petition, ing to China, from North to South, British bill of sale in connection with such The following gentlemen were empan-In point of fact the petition had no signal goods. I see one individual here who is, a transaction would be illegal, and was nelled: Messra J. Cook, W. B. Spratt, H. tures, being presented simply in name of I believe, the largest owner of British slave-dealing indictable by Law." Now C. McLean, J. R. White, H. N. Mody, M. the Chinese Community." The deputation steamers in this Colony, my friend Mr I agree with Mr Mercer. 1 differ with B. Polishwalls, and A. Millar. having been introduced to the Governor, Kwok Acheong, I see, also, representatives the gentleman who gave his evidence The Acting Attorney General prosecuted,

collency in English by Dr Eitel as follows: (Translation.)

Address of thanks to His Excellency John Pope Hennessy, C. M. G., Governor of Ever since His, Excellency Governor Hennessy assumed office on his arrival here. he has been the Protector of our whole community of Hongkong. In the fervent hope that happiness in abundance will ever fil his mind and tranquillity never fail surround him, we the whole Chinese Community of Hongkong are moved with deligh unspeakable. For we bear in mind that over since His Excellency the Governor entered upon his appointment, he relaxed, on every audience granted to us on public business, the rules of etiquette, spoke to us with kindly fcoling and received us with ready alacrity. We respectfully opine that the object His Excellency's mind dwelt upon was to ascertain by such condescension the feelings of the people and to probe resolutey the secret desires of his subjects in order that he might be able to improve the mutual relations of fellowship and concord between the ruling and the ruled classes. This explains even more fully the disinterested desire of His Excellency to be open

to all representations, whilst embodying the principles of generous goodness, and one cannot fail to observe that he was but developing and revealing his innate condescension MAHOMED Jan, the Afghan General, is and gentleness which prompted him almost reported to have utilized his briefdays of to keep out of mind his inborn dignity and paper, how did he succeed in such whole- stration of the government prizes above all troops experience such formidable of all distinctions of nationality, and that difficulties in procuring a few animals for | the depth of his benevolence and the extent | the carriage of their little stock of ammuni- of his bounty is greater than words can that we should take Mahomed Jan into ever, on this occasion to bring for-

> heard of such a thing as giving the Chinese residents some representative among the members of the Legislative Council. But now His Excellency the Governor, prompted by his love for the people, pursued a course of strict fair-play, and specially appointed Mr Ng Choy to a seat on the Legislative Council, since the first opening of this Colony, and the news of which fills everybody near and far thanks for this appointment.

Again, some years ago, a terrible typhoon swept over this Colony, when multitudes of people were drowned in the sea, so that, up to the present day, more than a hundred skeletons are being washed on shore and laid bare on the beach at Stonecutters' Island and in the vicinity. When we accordingly petitioned for permission to engage labourers to collect those human remains and in time to give them a peaceful interment, His Exis cellency the Governor, as soon as he heard of it, spontaneously undertook to defray from his own private purse the expenses of burial. To inter such skeletons, to bury such human different meaning to this sudden and great | remains, was of old an object of benevolent governments, and even now such kindness, extended to bleached bones, is self apparent to the living.

The foregoing two points illustrate the manner in which His Excellency holds the scales of government without distinction of Chinese or Foreigners, and the manner in which the influence of his goodness is extended in oblivion of all distinction between the living and the dead. Where is the man that does not admire such perfection of

that His Excellency the Governor will continue to expand this policy both by embody. ing it in the administration of the government and by extending it to the internal affairs of the people, as thereby the highest Asia, striking, as it would be, a serious and lowest classes will be joined in mutual good relations and both the rulers and the ruled will daily learn to understand each other better. The future will then show. in a very short time; that public morality and public feeling will also be brought thereby into entire harmony with the highest principles. Further, His Excellency, taking pleasure in the development of talent and in the promotion of knowledge, both as regards English and Chinese matters of instruction, requested that an alteration in the Rules of the City Hall Museum be made. in order to inculate broader views, and laid down the principle that no distinction should be made between natives of the West or natives of China. These are subjects which cannot be fully explained in a few words. His Excellency's aim is to pay attention to everything that may be fraught of the people, nor shall there be any inter-

We have, however, yet one prayer to address to His Excellency. The trade of the Colony has of late been materally increasing in prosperity from day to day and merchants are flooking together here from all quarters. But in the absence of a general meeting-place, operations on a large scale are rather difficult to develop. We are therefore now anxious to petition for the grant of a is that in the year 1878, the Uhinese gen-Kwang Tung, from Hongkong; Feb. 2, piece of Crown land, to enable us to erect a merce might be placed on view to facilitate to cooperate with the Government in put-Departures During the fortnight,-Jan. examination and verification. From such a ting down kidnapping, and within the last 31, Lapwing, for Cruise; Feb. 1, Hae An, measure both Chinese and English merthousand or fifty thousand dollars would out the views of the Chinese Community. not suffice. If it were possible to hope for In the year 1877 there were 78 cases a grant from Her Majesty's Government in kidnapping. That was a large number, and aid of the expenses to be incurred, there it drew the attention of the Chinese genwould really be no limit to the kindness themen of the Colony. Next year they shown by His Excellency. What we are called my attention to it, and I gave strict anxious for, is, but mutual good under- injunctions to the Police. In the year 1878 standing between the Chinese and the Eng- the number of cases had fallen to 53 and in lish people, and harmonious relations within the year 1879 to 51. Now, in connection well, Official No. 60,883, was lost in a and without the Colony, wherefrom will with this subject I have also heard of what is Typhoon near Cebu, Philippine Islands, on result, on the one hand the happiness of the called the slavery in Hongkong not connect. the 12th December, 1879. representatives of the Government, and on ed with the kidnapping to which I have readvantage the residents of this Colony enjoy ernment of this Colony, of the fact that for Certificates of the Master and Officers are

> In the English year 1880, the 19th day of the month of February. In the 6th year of Kwong-sui, the 10th day of the first moon.

THE CHINESE MERCANTILE COM-MUNITY OF HONGKONG

E. J. Kiteb. 19th February, 1880.

His Excellency said : Gentlemen, I am

small Colony also on the Chinese Sea,--

the Government of India is vested in the recreation or elsewhere in this Colony. We venture respectfully to express a hope Viceroy at Calcutta, in the Governors I am, therefore, about to suggest again of Madras and Bombay and the Lieut. the possibility of offering a free opening Governor of Bengal with their Councils, to the Museum for a limited time, -In India the Queen's Viceroy has not only say six months, -and in that way test thrown open all employment in the Public | the question which they have raised. service to every native having the capacity | But meanwhile the project which you have and education to be so employed, but in placed before me to day will go on. You the list of those forming his own Council, are entitled to have your own Chamber of which I hold in my hand, you will see the | Commerce and you are entitled to have your names of distinguished native gentlemen, own Industrial Museum. I shall do every-No law is made for the Government of the | thing in my power to get them both for you. Queen's subjects in India, no regulation is And now, gentlemen, I have only again to ever issued for the government of the thank you for having paid me this visit to-Queen's subjects unless that law or those day and for the address which you have regulations have first been passed by a presented to me. I most heartily wish Council on which native subjects are sitting. | you all a prosperous New Year. And these native gentlemen, like you, The macheen of the Yan Fo tea-business, retain their native dress, their native Mr Chok Wai Yuk, said in Chinese,customs and their native religion. I think | What Your Excellency has said, expresses nothing would be more unfortunate the feelings of all the prople in Hongkong. than in any part of the British Empire, to It is the Truth and it is Justice. All the endeavour to enforce the manners and people in Hongkong without exception are customs of England upon the native in- imbued with the feelings of your Excelhabitants, and therefore in India there is lency. no interference with the religion or customs

ference with the religion or customs of the withdrew. Chinese here, and this brings me to a point at which I desire to thank my friend, Fung Ming Shan, and some of my other friends present, for certain representations they addressed to me about the year 1878 about the crime of kidnapping. Now, there has been a good deal of talk in the Colony about this subject, but the first thing I desire to record tlemen of the Colony called my attention to the growth and increase of the crime of kidnapping, and they asked for my permission to be allowed to form an Association

ship Duke of Abercorn :-

there has undoubtedly prevailed a system of positive slavery. One of the Government Departments entrusted with the Administration of that Ordinance was undoubtedly aware of the fact that women were bought and sold to be put into the brothels of this Colony. Now, as recently as in Docember 1877, the then Begistrar General in his evidence before a Commission that I appointed on this subject, expressed the opinion that such women were boughts / He also went on to say! "I think it is

The address was then read to His Ex. come to me at this season of the year to tion. And I know that you all agree with congratulate me on having appointed Mr | me, and that I speak the sentiment of the witness in this case, Miss Irving, had left Ng Chey to his seat in the Legislative Chinese of the Colony, when I say that it the Colony, and he left it to His Lordship Council. Before I made the appointment is my duty to put down so far as I possibly to say whether from the depositions this I had an opportunity of hearing your own can such practices. Therefore, in all these was a case that should be preceded with. views about it. I knew that he would questions, we are perfectly sgreed, you and The prisoner wished it. iruly represent you. It was not merely I. But now as to the question, which is a His Lordship had no doubt many persons because he is a man of high character with totally different one, of what is called would like their character cleared. a thorough knowledge of the English lang- buying children for adaption or domestic . Mr Russell said he would enter a nolle uage, and of English law, that I appointed service, I will say a few words to you. There prosequi.

It was not merely for that reason, but is nothing in the practice of adoption that His Lordship, although admitting the because I knew that he had your confidence. is wrong or is opposed to Biblical Law, nor right of the Attorney General to do so, said But I do not wish to take too much credit is there anything in British Law against that privilege should be exercised as seldom to myself for having for the first time ap- domestic service or making out contracts as possible. pointed a Chinese gentleman to sit in the for domestic services. What the British Mr Russell then said he would accept a Council. I do not know whether you are Law objects to is simply the buying and verdict of not guilty. aware of the fact that one of my predecessors | selling of human beings for any purpose. wrote despatches to Her Majesty's Gov. Putting saide that part of it, the buying this was a very proper case to have come ernment—you may be aware of the fact, and selling of human beings, I have no here. In this case there was no denial of for the despatches are printed—in one of hesitation in saying that the practice of what had been done; there had been an which the question of Chinese represent adoption and the practice of domestic insistence of a right which insistence if not tation was referred to years ago, and the service are good practices. And if, in justifiable the man was, not being a pauper, other of which called attention to the pro- connection with these in themselves good answerable in damages but for which he portion that the Chinese pay of the revenue practices, the doubtful practice of buying could not be indicted. The case was someof this Colony, Governor Sir John Bowring, and selling human beings has sprung up thing like one in which a man claiming more than twenty years ago, recommended here, why is it? For this reason,—that certain property in the possession of an-Her Majesty's Government to have a scheme it grew, alien to the British Constitution, other person to be his property and not the in this Colony by which every lot-holder of The Chinese Community were kept or holder's, cut down a tree, he would be anten acres should be able to vote for five allowed to remain outside the British swerable in damages for so doing, Members of the Legislative Council; and Constitution. Now, whilst, on the one offence would not if he had the shadow of in the same despatch Sir John Bowring hand, it is only proper you should a claim be indictable. This man had the said that the Chinese, as at Singapore, all be bound by the British Consti- right to certain money under certain ought to be put into the Magistracy, should tution and act in accordance with the circumstances. There was a communicabe made Justices of the Peace. The British Constitution, you are on the other tion with Mr Wotton to which the lady changes of property that have occurred in hand entitled to receive all the benefits and expected a reply; while she was so waiting, this Colony since the time when Sir John advantages of the British Constitution. And the prisoner went to her and represented Bowring made that recommendation have therefore it is that I am already aware of to her that Mr Wotton said certain things been to great that the majority of the the fact that the leading Chinese gentlemen to him. Mr Wotton awore that he never voters he at that time indicated would at this of this Colony are consulting together with said anything of the kind. This man, the

Robinson, had in a despatch describing there will be no disturbance with their house, and if the money was improperly what the Chinese have done for Hongkong, domestic customs—nothing to interfere received, the landlady could have been made the remark that the Chinose are more with the social relations—that—they sued for the money by the lady who pa d than (90) ninety per cent of the popula- can carry on this system of adoption it on this man's misrepresentation and it tion and that they contribute a propor and domestic service, but doing it without would have been recovered with costs. It tionate amount to the revenue. Some the traffic in human beings. In your ad- was therefore one of those transactions in years after that, in a neighbouring Colony, dress you have asked me to sanction the business, or commerce, which came within in Singapore, the Governor recommended establishment of a Chamber of Commerce the words of Chief Baron Pollock in the my old and valued friend, Mr Ho Akoe for the Chinese in connection with which case of the Queen v. Evans. In that case Whampen, to a seat in the Council. Mr there would be a Museum. Lunhesitatingly one partner in a business firm represented Whampon has been a friend and corres. approve of the proposition you have made to the other partners that through him, pondent of mine for more than twelve me on that subject and I shall be very certain persons had agreed to buy certain years, and I can say this,—that there never happy to give a grant of Government things from the firm and he got a bonus on has sat in the Council in Singapore, ground for the purpose, and I shall also the business to which he was not fairly any gentleman who has been of more be happy to apply to Sir Michael Hicks- entitled. His Lordship quoted from Baron assistance to the Government or more loyal Beach, the Secretary of State for the Coto the Queen, and Her Majesty the Queen | louies, for a vote of \$40,000 to begin with. conferred upon him the additional distinct Such a Chamber of Commerce and such a tion of making him a Companion of the Mussum as you describe will do good to Order of St. Michael and St. George. In a you and will also do good to England. With reference to the notice at the City the little Colony of Labuan-there too it Hall to which you allude, I shall only say a step which had never before been taken fell to my fortune to place for the first time this,—that the land on which the City Hail

in the Council, a Chinese gentlemen, my | was built is Crown Land; it was given by learned friend, Mr Chua Masso, and I had | Sir Hercules Robinson to all the inhabitwith gratitude and joy. The object of our the satisfaction of being able to report to ants of this Colony. There was to be no Her Majesty's Government that the distinction of race or nationality, and when changes which Her Majesty's Govern- the building was completed or nearly so, the ment approved in that Colony were same stipulation was made by Sir Richard mainly based on the advice I had received MacDonnell. I deeply regret that from the Chinese Member and from my some gentlemen up n the Committee other Chinese friends. Therefore you will of the City Hall took the creat responsiall see I had good precedents for the course | bility of not complying with my request I have taken now. I observed in the ad- tast the notice for admission to the dress that Mr Fung Ming Shan road just Museum should contain no distincti n now a portion to this effect, -that you are between Chinese and Europeans. It has well pleased to see that in my government unfortunately happened that the majority in the course I had pursued I had adhered of the members of that Committee voted above all things to justice and fairness, to against the proposition that I made to them, the exclusion of all distinctions of nation. to have a free admission to the Museum ality. That undoubtedly is true, and in without any distinction of nationality or doing so I would act in strict accordance | class. It is only fair you should know-as with the policy of Her Majesty's Govern. | no doubt indeed you do-the reason why ment and the commands of my Soversign some gentlemen upon that Committee Queen Victoria. Here in this Colony we desire to have the Chinese admitted at one number only 140,000 or 150,000 people, time and the Europeans at another time. That is a very small number of subjects of The reason they gave was that they were Queen Victoria, for in the whole of her | afraid that the presence of Chinese and Empire in the East, Queen Victoria has as | Europeans at the same time in the same many as, or nearly as many as 200,000,000 | Museum might lead to some conflict or of subjects. The vest majority of that disturbance. Now, in point of fact no such number of subjects of the Queen are in collision as these gentlemen anticipate India. Some of you trade with India, and | between Chinese and Europeans has ever you are all intelligent enough to know that actually occurred in any place of public

The Governor shook hands with the twenty-five gentlemen, and the deputation His Excellency's address to the deputation was interpreted to them, sentence by sentence, by Dr Eitel.

LOSS OF THE BRITISH SHIP "HOPEWELL"

FINDING OF THE COURT.

The following is the finding of the Marine Court appointed to enquire into the loss of the British ship Hopewell. It has been confirmed by H. E. the Governor, is dated 6th inst., and bears the signature of C. V. Creagh, acting police magistrate; H. G. Thomsett, R.N., harbour master, etc.; N. J. Ede, unofficial justice of the peace; Robt. M'Murdo, Government marine surveyor; and J. Binnie, commander of Brit.

the other tranquillity and peace among the ferred. I may say first that I am thoroughly to be attached to the Master, Officers, or people themselves. Whatever pleasure and ashamed, as the representative of the Gov. Crew, for the loss of the Ship, and the

> SUPREME COURT. IN ORIMINAL SESSIONS. (Before His Lordship the Chief Justice, Sir John Smale.

> > Thursday, Feb. 19.

THE CHARGE OF "OBTAINING MONEY UNDER FALSE PRETENCES" BREAKS DOWN. Ho Atim appeared on a charge of obtaining money under fals : pretences, from Miss useless to try and deal with the Treedom of C. A. Irving on the 29th January. This Chinese prostitutes by law or Government | case was heard before the Police Court and regulation. From all its aspects the thing fully reported in our columns on the 29th deputation may be judged, and it will be mine who are undoubtedly amongst the is impracticable." I find that about ten ult. and 3rd inst. It excited considerable interesting reading as showing, how in. wealthiest merchants of this Colony. I years before this the Colonial Secretary, interest, and the point now decided is an

this Colony, and I rejoice to think that you deal with by Law or Government regula- Mr H. L. Dennys, defended the prisoner.

Hon, J. Russell said that the principal

day be Chinese. Another governor, Sir H, a view to making such arrangements that defendant, represented the owner of the

of the Court, express my very confident from the person with violence; the third opinion that the statute for obtaining prisoner was found not guilty by a majority money under false pretences was never intended to meddle with the real business of commerce, that it was not intended to control commerce by indictments for obtaining the matter really and wholly was a piece of swindling, and that the statute was never ing Officer. meant to apply where there was merely some fraud committed in the course of a commercial transaction. I wish to express my own opinion on this point very strongly because I think that a departure from this rule would make every knavish transaction | iog of a severe punishment. The sentence in commercial matters the subject of an of the Court would be on each of them indictment; that this would be exceedingly mischievous and be going far beyond what prisoner to be discharged. was intended by the legislature in obtain ing money under false pretences made punishable by indictment.

He (the Chief Justice) did not agree with Baron Pollock, but he could not but act under that decision. He believed it would tend to make people honest were that very class of business frauds described brought within the law, although of course is had been said that we cannot make people honest by Act of Parliament. only wished the Law could get hold of top keys for the purpose of committing a every knavish trickster in trade and punish him. He would like every person who got money by spoken or acted lies to stand before him. He was sure they would get

come nearer home. of this charge he had to tell him that he found guilty. He had told a lie with the by it. He advised him to be careful in future for his own sake, to deal more honestly with those with whom he had to do. He would find "honesty the best policy" everybody to believe that. He had brought this prosecution, this exposure upon him-Had it not been for the insolence with which he did it, the point would never have been raised in the way it had been He had done, what he was happy to say, we had not a word for in England—we had

to go to America for a word,—he had "done the cute thing." He might be glad | months' imprisonment with hard labour. he was not in jail. He had not brought himself within the law. He should consider himself lucky in escaping. His Lordship: I do hope I could find

something to upset that judgment of Chief Baron Pollock's. Do you know of any. thing, Mr Hayllar ? Mr Hayllar : No, my Lord.

The prisoner then left the Court, but not in this case "honourably acquitted," not " without a stain on his character," rather, The proceedings did not terminate till as the phrase goes, "saved by the skin of nearly 5 c'clock, having occupied two hours. his teeth."

> THE DASTARDLY OUTRAGE ON A LADY, IN THE HONGKONG HOTEL.

This case, the first on the calendar, was the first brought before the Court this morning, when Wong Akong, the servant boy at the Hongkong Hotel, who, the other day, (he says, under the influence of drink) constable who arrested him outside a temcommitted a brutal assault on a Yokohama ple with seven burners and five cups in his lady (au Englishwoman) staying at the Hotel, Mrs Schraub, pleaded guilty to the two counts alleged against him, (1) robbery and assault being armed and wounding, gaol for aix months, with hard labor. and (2) assault occasioning bodily harm. He is charged under two clauses of two different ordinances, and the maximum punishment under the first is spensi servitude for life."

His Lordship asked the Attorney General how, if he sentenced the man to the full penalty under the first clause 31, he could remand for a week to enable him to get the then do anything under clause 41. The Attorney General reminded Lordship that the other day, in the case of the Kate Waters tragedy, his Lordship on three separate and distinct counts sentenced

the men three times to be hanged. word as to whether the sentences were to cumulatively.

His Lordship then, addressing the prisoner, said, -This is one of the very worst case of robbery from the person f ever knew. That you have some very good feeling in you I am perfectly sure from the letter which I have read, and which you Surveyor General's Department, and Wilwrote to your mother and to your friends. liam Price, a seaman unemployed, were You deserve to be imprisoned for life for charged with fighting and creating a disthis special offence, but I shall take that turbance in the public streets on the 16th a little into consideration, also your youth, inst. and shall only now sentence you to penal P. C. No. 17, Peter Grieve, said he your own life. On the second count you ling, and he was drunk, are sentenced to three years' penal servi. tude, this sentence to be concurrent with

Mr Fung Ming Shan read the address in here from every other important trade in 1877 that this is a subject we cannot and Mr T. C. Hayllar, Q.C., instructed by cumulative sentences had better be sus-

The Acting Attorney General did not think we ever had any cumulative sentences here.

The Chief Justice said there had been several cases: he remembered some important cases long ago, in which cumulative sentences were imposed. The Acting Attorney: I know, by Lord, we had them often in the Police Court.

but we sometimes dostrange things there His Lordship said the same point as was now being raised for "Mr Orton" was raised in another famous case, the King v. Wilkes. He remembered reading it. Mr Hayllar suggested that the point was whether the two charges on which the

claiment was sentenced were not one and the same charge. His Lordship : Of course, because if they can prove that, the sentence is wrong as a matter of course. The Court then adjourned.

(Before the Hon. the Acting Puisne Judge, Hon. J. J. Francis, Esq )

COWARDLY TREFT BY SOLDIERS. W. Donnelly, J. Doherty, and C. Donnelly, privates of B.M.'s 27th Regiment Inniskilling, were charged with having stolen from the person of one Ma Mun, on heard the case :- Messra J. V. de Jesus, R. Schonberger, H. M. Bastos, J. T. Santos, John Kyle, F. R. Rogers, and Justus P. Lembke.

the night in question with a friend. He. at their own request, stood three drinks. To pay for the porter, he had to remove his shoe where he as a rule carried the other, a \$10 note in his shoe and placing the change in his purse. When he left, three men followed him, and knocked him down, removed his shoe and robbed His Lordship having summarised the

evidence given, the jury retired to consider their verdict, and on returning in about "And here I must, spart from the rest the two first prisoners guilty of larceny of five to two. The Color Sergeant of the prisoners'

Company gave the two first prisoners an indifferent character. They had been money under false pretences unless where about three years in the service and had frequently been punished by the Command-

His Lordship, in passing sentence, said that the two men found guilty had been convicted of one of the most serious offences that had been committed in the Colony for some time, and he considered it deservseven years' penal servitude. The third

> Police Intelligence. (Before the Hon. C. B. Plunket.) Thursday, Feb. 19

IN POSSESSION OF SKELETON KEYS. Chan Apo, a hawker, was charged with being in unlawful postession of three skelt.

This is the man who was tried at the Supreme Court yesterday on two chargesfirst; breaking and entering a dwelling house | der the new concession really valuable listea before them then. He would not and committing a felony; second, with receiving stolen goods,—but was acquitted Foochow, is estimated at from \$8,000 to

It will be remembered that on his way to the Station when arrested on the above raising. charges he threw something down on the object of getting money and had got money street which was afterwards found to be the three keys, two of which were English-made

skeleton keys. When arrested he could give no satisfactory account of their possession. He now in the end. He only wished he could get said the keys did not belong to him; they may have fallen out of a quilt he was carrying. The police forced him to carry the been acquitted of that charge. He admitted two previous convictions,

both false charges, and said he had been out of gaol three months. Fined ten pounds, in default three

CREATING A DISTURBANCE. coolies, were each sent to prison for seven days with hard labour, for fighting and creating a disturbance in the public streets

yesterday.

DRUME AND INCAPABLE. James Hughes, a fireman, in the British steamer Cutello, was charged with being drunk and incapable in the public streets last night, and was fined \$1, in default to suffer two days' imprisonment.

BTHABING LAMPS. Chan Achu, a bricklayer, was charged with stealing a number of lamps this morn-

ing at Yau-ma-til The charged was fully proved by the accountant of the Tung Fat shop, and the possession. Prisoner admitted four previous convictions during 1879, and was now sent to

KIDNAPPING. Tam Awai, and Ng Atam, shopmen were charged with taking a girl aged 12 years, away from the Colony against her will on the 18th instant. P. C. 68, Thomas Campbell, applied for a girl's mother from Canton. Case remanded to 26th inst.

A CHARGE WITHDRIWN. Chun Apia, a clerk to the Man Wo Fung Company, was arrested for the alleged His Lordship : Yes, and never said a emtezzlement of \$2054 from his employers. The firm, however, withdraw the charge be carried into effect simultaneously or and the prisoner was ordered to be released

(Before O. V. Oreagh, Pag.)

FORTING IN THE STREETS. William Samuel, a watchman in the

servitude for ten years. It is not a matter found defendants fighting in East Street for which you have to thank yourself, it is about 7.50 p m on the 16th. He separated only by an accident over which you had no them, but in half an hour afterwards say control, that you are not now being tried them again fighting with each other. The BAROMETER- 9 A.M .... 80.100 for the murder of this lady, being tried for second defendant's head was cut and bleed-

First defendant atsted that he saw the second defendant, who is a friend of his, wrangling with some money-changers, and His Lordship remarked that until the advised him togo home, the result being that his friend attacked him and broke his umbrella. Second defendant said he was only larking and denied breaking the umbrella. The

first defendant struck him on the head with a stone and bit him on the chin when down, (shows mark) and tore his c'othes. His Worship fined both defendants 1 each, or two days' imprisonment, second defendant to pay \$1 amends for the umbrella, in default two days' further imprisonment.

NEW RECREATION CLUB AND RACE COURSE FOR FOOCHOW. We learn from the Herald of the 12th inst, that at last through the patient and untiring efforts of H. B. M.'s Consu Mr Sinclair, the Mandarins have secured from the native holders a most desirable site for a new Recreation Ground and Race Course in the close neighbourhood of the Settlement, which they offer to the foreign community to meet their wants in the shape of exercise and recreation. "Most of our readers-(says our Foochow contemporary)-will have noticed, and some perhaps speculated as to the meaning of the digging of a deep ditch, in the form of a square, on the plain immediately in front and to the the 14th January, a \$10-note. They all south of the Club, while vague visions of pleaded not guilty, and the following jury an encampment of Celestial Braves, and the attendant annoyances, floated through their minds. This ditch surrounds the selected site, which is, as nearly as pos-The facts of the case are no doubt fresh in | sible, three quarters of a mile in cirthe minds of our readers. The man from | cumference. The terms upon which this whom the money was stolen is an Officer's site is ceded to the community may be Servant and had been in the canteen on | tersely stated as follows :- The ground is to be used for the purposes of exercise or recreation only, and no permanent buildings of any kind are to be erected any notes he might have about him, and he thereon; temporary buildings, such as a took from the heel of it two notes. One Garden or Cricket Pavilion, a Granda \$5-note he gave to the waiter, replacing stand, and any others which may be necessary for the proper and comfortable conduct of the various amusements, can, however, be erected. The ground is to be held in perpetuity by payment of an annual rent (not yet definitely determined, but which will not be less than \$1200, or more than \$1400, a year); and twenty minutes unanimously pronounced so long as this is punctually paid the Chinese cannot reclaim the land on any pretence whatever. No sub-letting to natives for any purpose or on any terms will be permitted, the land being for the exclusive use and enjoyment of foreigners. These terms will be detailed in a lease, which will be signed as between the Chinese Authorities and H. B. M.'s Consul, who will then, as sub-lessor, enter into a similar lease as between himself and the Fohkien Race Club. The management, in the meantime, has been vested in the Stewards of the Fohkien Race Club, as a matter of convenience. They are quite awake to the fact that, in order to carry out the proposed scheme to a satisfactory and successful conclusion. the interest taken in the work must be cosmopolitan; and if at any future time it should be considered by a majority of the foreign residents to be desirable to have the management transferred to a more generally representative body, then they will always be ready to give their assistance in doing so. A general meeting of the whole community will be called some time in May, when these and all other details can be fully discussed." The sum which will be required to rento, and worthy of, the community of Addressing the prisoner, his Lordship by the Jury for want of sufficient evidence \$9,000, an amount which it is thought there will be no great difficulty in

From the circular issued by th Stewards we take the following: It is intended to make use of this piece of ground for the following purposes, viz :---

1. For the construction of a permanent Riding Course, available for the use of quilt. He did not steal the quilt, and had the Foreign Community only being sub-

2. For the construction of a permanent Cricket Ground, of a ground for Lawn Tennis, and for open-air amusements of a similar nature.

3. For the construction of a Public Park, or Flower Garden, for the more Chun Woo, and Chang Akwai, two chair immediate use and recreation of Ladies and Children.

4. For the construction of a suitable Race Course, and Steeple-chase Course.

A public road, at least 15 feet in width, will be constructed leading from the Settlement to the grounds.

Quotations. Roxexone, February 19. OPIUM,-New Paine, cash...\$595 New Benaves, cash, 5671 New Malwa, credit, 730 Old Malwa, oredit, 790 Exchange. Bank, Wire,... Demand, ... 3/91 ,, 30 days sight. 4 months night, Documentary, 4 months aight, 8/9 India, Wire,... demand, ... Shanghai, demand, ... 80 days' sight, ... Gold Leaf, 991 fine ... Sovereigns, ... Bhares.

Hengkong Bank, 56 % prem. ex div. Union im. Society of C'ton, \$1,425, buyers. Ohina Traders' Ins. Co., \$1,45 , buyers. North China Ins. Co., Tis. 1,200, Yangtase Ins. Assoc. Tis. 725 Chinese Insurance Co., \$300, H.K. Fire Ins. Co., 4825, sellers. Oh na Fire Ins. Co., \$215, sellere. H.K. & W. Dock Co., 10 % prem. buyers. H.K. O. M. S. boat Co., \$22 pm. buy, ez d. Shanghal Steam Navigation, Tis. 10 China Coast St. Nav. Co., Tu. 107 Hongkong Gas Co., \$75 Houghang Hotel Co., \$67 buyers. Oh: 18 Sugar Refining Co., \$165, 82116,

Obiness Imperial Loan of 1874, nominal. Temperature.

(Taken at Meesre Balconer @ Co.'s Premises Queen's Hoad.) Hongnone, February 19. 1 P.M. ... 30.004 4 P.M. I P.M...

THERMOMETER-9 A.M.... 4 P.M. ... 80 Do. (Wet bulb) 9 A.M. 59 Do. 1 P.M. 60 Do. 4 2.2, 60 Do. Maximum Do. Minimum over night 58

•				HONGKONG MARKET PRICES.	Shark young	黨魚
· . •	Insurances.	Merchant Vessels in l	Hongkong Harbour.	Corrected to Saturday, February 14th, 1880.	Salmor, Canton, , 120 110	編魚 献 <b>角</b>
	YANGTSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION.	Exclusive of late Arrivals and I	Departures reported to-day,	At 1060 Cash per Dollar Mexican.	Salt Fuh,	<b>鹹魚</b>
	CAPITAL (Fully Paid-up)Tls. 420,000			Cais. Cais.	Shrimps, 90 60 Snapper, 100 100	蝦 立魚
	SPECIAL ICESERVE PUBLICATION	To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour	, the Anchorage is divided into eight Sections, commencing at	Butcher Meat.	Calan Basel	<b>権沙魚</b>
	OUMULATION, 25th	Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked a Shipping or midway between each shore are marked c., in conjunc	tion with the figures denoting the sections.	Ame. Sugar cured , 225 200 花旗烟猪肉	Tench, 120 110 Turtles, small, fresh water, each 400 —	鯇魚 脚魚
	Directors.	ection,	5. From P. and O. Co.'s Office to Peddar's Wharf. 6. From Paddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard.	, Foochow, , 200 170 福州地省庆	Whiting, , 100 90	山鐵
	F. B. FORBES, Esq., Chairman.	3. From Novelty Iron Works to the Harbour Master's Office. 4. From Harbour Master's to the P. and O. Co.'s Office.	7. From Naval Yard to the Pier. 8. From Pier to East Point.	Beef Corned, catty 140 130 中间		菓子
	C. Lucas, Esq. 18. D. Want, 244	Data of		,, Romt, ,, 150 140 <b>烷件</b> 肉	<b>Fruits</b>	Salata de transportação
	Head Office—Shanghal.  Messes Russell & Co., Secretaries.	Vessel's Name. Captain. Rig. Tons. Arrival	Construes of Accini	"Steak, "Steak, " 150 140 牛肉耙	Aleurites,	石栗 舊金山平菓
:   -  -		Steamers	Gingaporo &c To-day	Bullocks' Brains, per set 50 40	Bananas, fragrant, Canton,, 25 20	省城香蕉
•	Messra BARING BROTHERS & Co., Bankers.	tholl It d'Thompson Brit atr 922 Feb. 1	6 David Sassoon, Sons & Co. S'pore, Calcutta, &c. 218t 118t. 2 Jardine, Matheson & Co.	"corned",300 270 域牛肠	Chestauts, 100 00 Citron, Green, 90, 80	香綠
	FULLARTON HENDERSON, Esq.,	Rolgig Brit. str. 2148 Feb. 1	8 Messageries Maritimes 6 O. & O. S. S. Co. Shangnal Y'hama & San F'cisco K'loon Dock	,, Head, ,, 750 700 十段 Heart, 130 120 十心	Coccanuts	椰子如猫姐
	8, St. Michael's Alley, Cornhill, E.C.	Bellons	7 P. & O. S. N. Co. Yokohama Mails 9 C. M. B. N. Co.	, Hump, Salt . catty 130 120 牛肩	Ourrants, 2 lbs bottle 400 350	<b>御</b>
	Policies granted on Marine Risks to all	Conquest 5 h Hamlin Brit. str. 318 Feb. 3	7 Jardine. Matheson & Co. O Yuen Fat Hong Bangkok Bangkok Bangkok	,, Feet, each 50 40 干啊 ,, Kidneys, ,, 60 50 牛腹	Dates,	洋猴 血花 <b>茧</b> 数
· .	on Shareholders' Capital, all the PROFITS	Douglas	8 Douglas Lapraik & Co.  Remedios & Co.  Coast Ports  Amoy and Manila  Coast no Dock	,, Tail, ,, 100 99 牛尾 Liver catty 80 70 牛肝	Figs, Dried, box 750 Ground Nuts, 40 30	花生
	of Business in proportion to the Premium	Cameralda	Jardine, Matheson & Co.  Swatow & Shanghai To-merrow Tug Plying	Tripe (undressed) cally 55 45 41	Lemons, China, catty 50 45 Peel bottle 750 600	呼像 <del>桔</del> 餅
·	paid by them. RUSSELL & Co.,	Hailoong	5 Douglas Lapraik & Co. Shanghai To-day To-day	Calves Head and Feet, set 600 500 干于识脚 Hams, American, 1b. 300 270 花旗大腿	Liches, Dried, catty 200 150	荔枝乾
	Hongkong, October 1, 1879. 10c80	Hainan	7 David Sassoon, Sons & Co. Salcutta Shanghai To-morrow	, Chinese,	Loong Ngan, Dried, ,, 350 800 Olives, 50 49	白懷
	SWISS LLOYD	Killarney 8 c O'Neill Brit. str. 1016 Feb. Me-li Chi. str. 181 Feb.	19 Gibb, Livingston & Co. 16 C. M. S. N. Co. S'pore, Calcutta, &c. 21st inst.	Mutton Chop,	Oranges, Canton, , 40 35	省城橙 新會和政
1	OF WINTERTHUR.	Moray Brit. str. 2185 Feb.  Namoa Westoby Brit. str. 862 Feb.	10 Douglas Lapraik & Co. Coast Ports Shanghai	,, Leg, ,, 180 160 羊肌 Shoulder, ,, 14) 120 羊手	,, Sweet, Sun-weey, ,, 100 91 ,, Coolie Mandarla ,, 50 45	
	METIDANCES avented on MARINE	Normanby	12 Gibb, Livingston & Co.  31 Kwok Acheong  Company & Co.  K'loon Dock	Piga' Chitlings, catty 70 60 猫喊	, Peel, bottle 750 600 , Kum-kwat, catty 60 50	橙皮 金橘
	MEYER & Co., Agents.	Paladin   Nagel   Ger. str. 783 Jan.   Paladin   Roman   Brit. str. 897 Jan.   Penedo   2 h Cain   Brit. str. 652 Jan.	10 Arnhold, Karberg & Co. Nagasaki 21st, daylight 30 Melebers & Co. Saigon 21st, daylight	, Fry, , 110 100 猪雞	, Mandarin, ,, 80 70	朱砂桔
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٠	SCOTTISH IMPERIAL INSURANCE COMPANY.	Sumida Maru	26 Jardine, Matheson & Co.  15 Messageries Maritimes  Yokohama  K'loon Dock To-day	,, Meart, each 60 50 相极, ,, Kidneys, ,, 100 90 猪腰	,, Tientein, , 150 140	天津雪梨
	FIRE AND LIFE.	Sailing Vessels		,, Liver,	Pine apples, , , 60 50 Plantains, common , 20 —	大魚
	TNSURANCES against FIRE granted at Current Rates. Considerable Reduc	Bua Caro	16 Rozario & Co.  2 Chinese	,, Corned, ,, 150 140 <b>國猪肉</b>	Pomegranate, each 80 70	沙香蕉 石榴
	tion in Premia for LIFE Insurance in China.  MEYER & Co., Agents.	Carl 4 k Thomsen Ger. bg. 225 Dec. Chelmsford 2 c Collins Brl. bktine. 381 Jan. Colomb	20 Arnhold, Karberg & Co. 28 Eduard Schellhass & Co. 20 Rozarlo & Co.	,, Leg, ,, 160 150 猪此 ,, Fat or Lard, ,, 110 109 猪油	Pruner, Dried, . bottle 800 250	乾梅
، سم	Hongkong, June 2, 1879. 2jn80	Cuba 3 c Stabell Brit. bqe. 320 Feb.	16 Eduard Schellhass & Co. 16 Adamson, Bell & Co. London	Sheeps Head, and Feet, set 450 400 羊頭脚	Pumelo, Flat, each 60 50 , Oblong, , , 100 90	1/EL 655-1-1.
-	THE LONDON ASSURANCE	Duke of Abercorn 4 c Binnie Brit. sh. 1049 Jan. Emma Michaelson Ger. 3m. sc. 233 Jan. Empire 4 k Leckie Amer. sh. 1131 Dec.	20 Captain 5 Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	, Kidneys, 70 60 羊腰	Quince, Canton, ,, 70 60	萬壽木瓜 白菓
	INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER of	Faugh Balaugh 3 c Rüte Ger. bqe. 278 Feb. France 3 c Exmelin Feb. bqe. 499 Feb. Heltie N. Banga Am. hktine. 655 Jan.	15 Landstein & Co. 31 Wieler & Co.	,, Liver, 1b. 140 130 羊肝 Sucking Pigs, each \$2.\$1.25 猪仔	Salisbury Seeds, Pak-kwo, catty 70 50 Sugar Cane, stick 25 20	滅。
	His Majesty King George The First,	Haydn Brown 4 k Hayener Amer. bqe. 865 Dec.	11 Vogel & Co. New York 19 Russell & Co. San Francisco	Suet, Beef, 1b. 120 110 生牛油	Tamarinds,	) <b>段</b> 大
	A. D. 1720	Highlander	16 Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	,, Mutton,	, New Pudding, lb. 160 120	
,	Agents for the above Corporation are prepared to grant Insurances as follows:—	Lady Aberdour 3 c Hutchinson Brit. bg. 287 Jan. Livingstone Steffens Ger. bqe. 530 Jan.	13 Chinese 31 Wieler & Co. 7 Arnhold, Karberg & Co. Wanshai Pie		Walnuts, catty 120 100 Water Chesnuts, com. , 40 30	合桃 馬蹄
	Marine Department,	Mabei	15 Russell & Co. 17 Captain	Poultry. 生日	,, Mandarin, ,, 70 60	· 桂林馬蹄
-	here, in London or at the principal Forus of India, China and Australia.	Parnass	3 Eduard Schellhass & Co. Takao 29 Siemssen & Co. Manila 29 Vogel & Co. London	Capons, catty 180 160 鐵鶏	Vogetables.	菜蔬
•	Fire Department. Policies issued for long or short periods a	Prince Frederick 4 c Clague Brit. sh. 1490 Dec. Spartan 8 k Vincent Amer. sch. 8t Aug. Day Amer. sch. 407 Feb.	27 W. H. Ray 1 Adamson, Bell & Co. Cos'tan Doc	Doves, each 100 90 班鳩	Artichokes, catty 60 5	0 丫治竹
	Current rates. A discount of 20 % allowed.  Life Department.	W. A. Holcomb Dunton Amer. sh. 1090 Sept. Dunton Amer. bqe. 953 Jan.		Eggs, Hen doz. 100 90 鷄蛋	Asparagus, tin 450 40	0 龍鬚茶
	Policies issued for sums not exceeding £5,000 at reduced rates.	Wing Shul Shing 4 R Scott		Duck	Beans, sprout,	0 竹笋 5 芽菜
	HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, July 25, 1872.	Borito Wevenberg Ger. bge 524 Feb.	19 Arnhold, Karberg & Co. Havre 16 Carlowitz & Co. Fientsin	Fowls,	,, broad, ,, 40 3 Franch	0 通豆
	THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE	Chateaubriand Leroy Fch. bqc. 887 Feb. Hesperia Johannaen Ger. str. 1136 Jan.	11 Carlowitz & Co. 9 Siemssen & Co. 21 Carlowitz & Co. Hamburg	Geese,, 120 110 强 Partridges, each 800 270 监持	Best Root, each 30 2	5 香港紅菜頭
•	COMPANY, LIMITED.	Sophie	AL CHILOTTERS OF CO.	Pheasants, Shanghai, . pair \$1.20 \$1. 上海山鶏	Brassica,	- 白 <b>茶</b> - 紅茄
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· .	Salgon and Popang.	•	\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\	Rabbits, live, Canton	, Shanghal, ,, 80 5	- 香港芥闌頭
	Risks accepted, and Policies of Insurance granted at the rates of Premium current at the above mentioned Ports.		longkong Harbour.	Teal, 160 — 水鴨仔	, Маско, ,, 80 в	
	NO CHARGE FOR POLICY FREE.  JAS. B. COUGHTRIE,	weil-oi-weil in the	1 Due of 1	Turkeys, Cock, catty 500 400 火鷄公	Cauliflower, each 100 f	50 椰菜花
•	Secretary.  Hongkong, November 1, 1871.	Vessel's Name. Anchor- Flag. Class.	Tons. Guns. H. P. Date of Arrival. Commander.	Wild Duck, pair \$1.10 81. 水鳴	Carrots, English, . catty 30 2	5 水路金筍。 5 日本金笋。
	CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY	Fly 6 h British gun vessel	584 4 120 Feb. 16 A. F. St. Clair 592 4 100 Jan. 20 Fred. Edwards	Woodcock, Shanghal, , 500 — 上海活住	Celery, Chinese,, 20	- 本地芹菜 9 番芹菜
	(LIMITED.)	Meria de Molina 6 h British gun vessel  Mecanee 6 k British military hospital	3000 Feb. 10 D. Tomas Olleros 2591	海低	Celery, English,	10 辣椒乾 -
	NOTICE.	Midge	465 4 120 Jan. 20 H. Salmond 600 4 120 Nov. 8 C. H. Palmer Jan. 2 A. E. K. Benham	Bombay Ducks, . per hundred 250 200 肚魚飲	Curry Stuff English, ,, 60	The second secon
	POLICIES granted at current rates ?	Sheldrake 6 h British gunboat Tyne 6 c British troopship	3530 4 60 Jan. 22 LtCom. M. L. Bridger Feb. 11 John E. Stokes	Bream, catty 90 80 開魚	Egg Plant,	95 矮瓜
÷	Marine Risks to all parts of the Work In accordance with the Company's Article of Association, Two Thirds of the Profi	Wolf 7 c German gunboat	P 3087 20 Feb. 7 Becks	Catfish, 100 90 鯉魚 Catfish, 60 50 赤魚	Garlic,	25
	are distributed annually to Contributor whether Shareholders or not, in proportion			— Codfab, Salt, , , 160 150 域數魚	,, young,,, 30	25 新子薑
٠	by each, the remaining third being carrie to Reserve Fund.	HONGKONG, MACAO AND CANTON RIVER STEAMERS.	CHINESE GUN-VESSELS IN CANTON WATERS, &c.	Crabs, 110 100 質 Cutile Fish, 80 70 墨魚	Green Peas,, 60	15 <b>介關</b> 采。 50 荷蘭豆
٠	J. BRADLEE SMITH, Secretary.	STEAMERS.	Name. Tons. Guns. H. P. Commander.	— Dace, , 100 90 食尾鰶	Horse Radish, Shanghai, ,, 180 Lettuce, Chinese , , 20	- 大羅蔔 15 唐人生 <del>조</del>
	Hongkong, December 9, 1878,	Name, Tons Captain Owners.	An-lan 221 7 .70 J. Godsil A. Walker	Dory, 180 120 長翼芒	English each 10	~ 來路生年
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	<b>PARTURE</b> :	Kiu Kiang Powan Sir J. Jeejeebhoy  184  Benning, T. H., C. & M. S. boat Co.  H., C. & M. S. boat Co.  Kwok Acheong	Ching-po 180 6 60 Chun II Hu Ld-she 80 4 20 Read	File Fish, 80 70 制皮洋	Onlone, Bombay . ,, 80	70 洋葱頭 15 生葱
	Policies against Fire to the extent \$45,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stor	Spark O Tung Ting	Peng-chou-hai 600 4 120 U. H. Patmer Quang-on 120 4 40 Li Ping Tye	Small . , 100 80 鮮魚仔	Paraley, Oninese,	55。芫荽
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